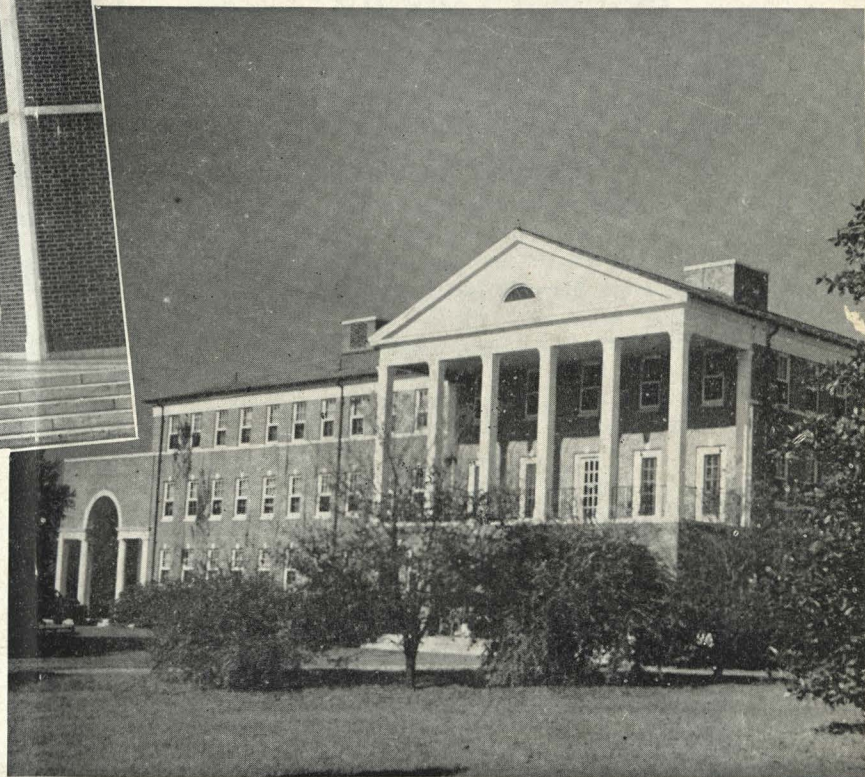


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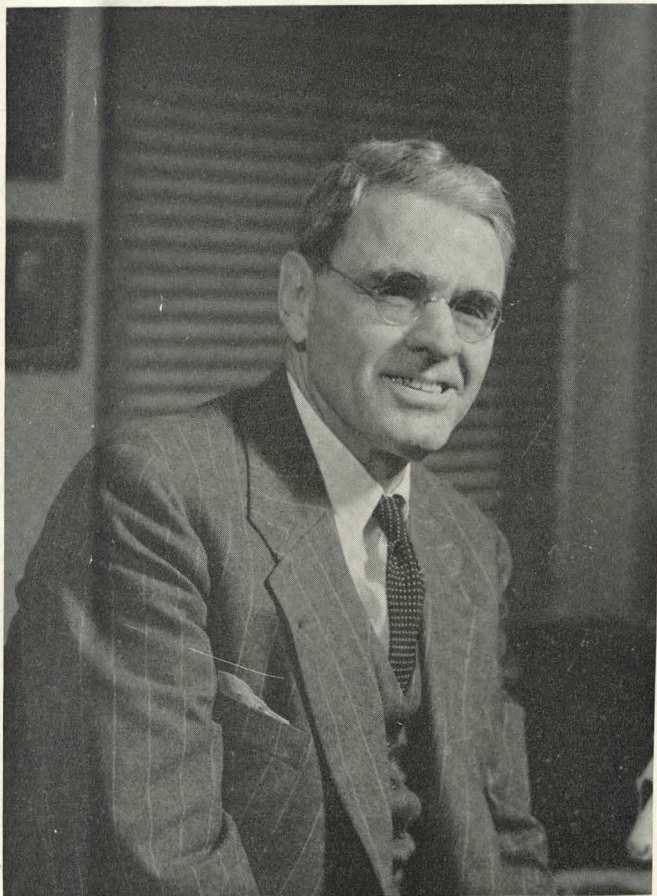
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James Hyde Porter Dies



Not only Wesleyan College, whose most generous benefactor he was, but all of Macon and the South will miss James Hyde Porter, whose death on June 13 ended the earthly career of one of the biggest-hearted men who ever lived.

Mr. Porter's many gifts for educational, religious, and social betterment knew no racial or denominational lines.

His will provides for a chapel at Wesleyan on the Rivoli campus, and also provides an educational and charitable trust fund for Bibb and Newton Counties. He also left for Wesleyan 92 prints of roses by Mary Lawrence, a collection of prints by Redoute, and a three-volume set of books by Redoute et Thory.

He sought no recognition for his philanthropies. Indeed, it will never be known how many thousands of persons he helped. He was the most approachable of men; his home, as well as his heart, was open to everyone who wished to come to him. Only a few weeks before his death, when he was in the hospital, he said to Wesleyan's president about the barbecue with which the senior class is accustomed to be entertained at Porterfield, his country place: "Do not change your plans. If I am able, I shall be there, and if I am not, I shall think of the girls being there and be happier."

Many things at Wesleyan will always remind us of him, buildings of brick and marble which his money made possible; hundreds of blooming plants which he had moved from Porterfield to both campuses; intangible things like the influence of the example of his good life.

The Column in this issue is dedicated

To the memory of:

JAMES HYDE PORTER

THE WESLEYAN ALUMNAE

COMMENCEMENT IN 1949

John Temple Graves, author and journalist who was speaker at the graduation exercises on June 6, wrote in his column afterward:

"There is something about great age, when it is rich in grace and accomplishment and motion, that speaks not of the past but of time without end. As Wesleyan College in Macon celebrated its 110th commencement it was of the ageless things many of us were thinking, the process toward human excellence under 'one increasing purpose.' To sit near enough to President Silas Johnson as each graduate came by for a diploma and an unfaltering warm 'God bless you,' and to identify in each passing face the light four years had given or enlarged was to know what the private liberal arts college must go on meaning to an America whose science technology is so dangerously passing its human gentilities."

There were many thrilling moments during the 110th Commencement. One alumna was heard to say afterward that never before had she heard **three** such excellent Commencement speakers as Wesleyan had this year in Dr. William F. Quillian, Jr., on Alumnae Day, Dr. Roy Smith on Baccalaureate Sunday, and John Temple Graves on Graduation Day.

Having all the Quillians back was like a family reunion, particularly to the classes of the 1920's who were in college when Dr. Quillian was president. "Billy" fulfilled everybody's highest expectations when he told of "The Marks of a Worthy Alumna" with the clarity and conviction reminiscent of his champion debating days. He seemed in no way flustered by having in the audience his father and mother, his sister, Christine, and many Wesleyan alumnae who remembered him as a little boy on the Wesleyan campus.

William D. Anderson Honored

A surprise to the recipient as well as to the commencement guests was the citation from Who's Who to William D. Anderson, retiring chairman of the Wesleyan Board of Trustees for his distinguished service to education. Alleen (Poer) Hinton, assistant to the president of Wesleyan, alumna and trustee, read the citation, after which Mary Lane Edwards and Evelyn Bernstein, presidents of the senior classes of the two campuses, presented Mr. Anderson with a basket of carnations in appreciation for his gifts and work for Wesleyan.

The trustees, faculty and officials, stu-

dents and alumnae of Wesleyan expressed their deep regret at Mr. Anderson's resignation from the Board, the alumnae saying, through Mary (Nicholson) Ainsworth, in appreciation to him:

"We are indebted to him as a benefactor, but we are also as alumnae indebted to him for his interest in us, as our friend and advisor. Many times when our problems have been serious, we have gone to him for counsel and encouragement. He has never failed to give us his undivided attention. He has never failed to give us wise advice. We shall continue to rely upon him as our loyal friend."

Mr. Leo Huckabee of Macon succeeds Mr. Anderson as chairman of the Board. His picture and a write-up will appear in the next issue of the magazine.

Honors to Graduates

There was one summa cum laude graduate in the class of 1949, Ruby Layson of Harlan, Kentucky. Ruby has held several alumnae scholarships, among them the Phi Delta Phi Scholarship during her junior and senior years.

Magna cum laude graduates at the lib-

eral arts college were: Roslyn Atkinson, Emmie Carlton, Evelyn Cason, Julia Carreker, Mary Lane Edwards, Emily Hancock, Faith Munford, Beth Parker. Cum laude: Wayne Aiken, Betty Atwater, Francina Brock, Jane Camp, Betty Jane Daniel, Marcella DiVenuto, Abbie Gillespie, Rosemary Hamilton, Jane (Morgan) Hogan, Emily Mallet, Mary McKay, Judith Meridith.

At the Conservatory honor graduates were: magna cum laude, Marian Lewis, Eugenia Toole, William Toole, Hobart Cowles, Adele (Dippy) Phillips; cum laude, Willie Jo Dyer, Roberta Gantt, Jack Hutcheson, Betty (Talkington) Johnson, Frank Marynell, Nancy Pickard, Henry F. Tate, Charlotte Williford, Po Hi Yun, Claudia (O'Neal) Alston, Theresa Rett, Elinor Trunnell.

Evelyn Bernstein was awarded the \$100 WMAZ Award for outstanding work in radio.

The Oldest Reunioner

The oldest alumna back for reunion this year was India (Holt) Rambo of Savannah, A.B. 1879, who had looked forward



THE QUILLIAN FAMILY, ALL TOGETHER AGAIN ON THE CAMPUS

When Billy Quillian (now Dr. William F. Quillian, Jr., head of the department of philosophy of Ohio Wesleyan) spoke on Alumnae Day, his sister, Christine, and his parents were here for the very happy occasion. This picture, taken just before the Alumnae Day program on June 4 shows the four on the Conservatory campus. Christine is now Mrs. Hubert Searcy, wife of the president of Huntingdon College in Montgomery. Dr. William F. Quillian, Sr., is secretary of the Southeastern Jurisdictional Conference of the Methodist Church and is a trustee of Wesleyan. Nonie (Acree) Quillian is the immediate past president of the Wesleyan Alumnae Club of Atlanta, and her class of 1909 was having a reunion at the college this year.

all the year to the occasion and who returned, accompanied by her children and grandchildren, to her Alma Mater. Although she has been for ten years totally blind, she is alert and interested in everything about her, has learned to read Braille, spends much time crocheting. She stood on the Wesleyan stage where she received her diploma sixty years ago and told the youngest alumnae about the difference between her college days and theirs.

One of her former pupils in school, Mr.

Charles Allen Gill of Moultrie, seeing her picture in the Macon paper, wrote to her: "I am just one of the thousands of boys and girls you helped in your efforts to build character, along the foundations of our education. I was twelve years of age, the most careless, thoughtless age in the life of a boy when I first knew you, but there are none who have a greater appreciation of you than I. I have a daughter, Elizabeth (Gill) Blalock, who was president of the class of 1929 at Wesleyan."

Back For Commencement

Following is a list of 248 alumnae who attended Commencement this year. This is not guaranteed to be complete; alumnae appear and disappear about the campus during the commencement season like the Cheshire Cat in Alice in Wonderland! But this is, as nearly as we can compile it from the reservations, the list of candle lighters, and the memories of various people who spotted visitors in the chapel Saturday, the list of alumnae who were back!

It was the largest crowd since "before the war," and there was a gay and happy spirit about it that we have been missing.

If next year is the time your class is scheduled for reunion, begin now to plan for it. It will be fun!

Here are the reunion classes for 1950:

Golden Anniversary Class1900
Silver Anniversary Class1925

1885,	1886,	1887,	1888
1904,	1905,	1906,	1907
1923,	1924,	1925,	1926
1942,	1943,	1944,	1945

1879

India (Holt) Rambo, Savannah

And nine members of her family, including:

Mr. and Mrs. John Cherry
Mr. and Mrs. Fraser F. Rambo
Billy Ryan Rambo
Mrs D. W. Pearson
Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Pirkle
Miss Hazel Holt

1881

Josephine (Whitehurst) Rozar, Milledgeville

1883

Dorothy (Blount) Lamar, Macon

1890

Agnes Barden, Macon
Margaret (Bell) Burdick, Dade City, Fla.
Lila May Chapman, Macon

1891

Adela (Barksdale) Ware, Milledgeville
Mary (Nicholson) Ainsworth, Macon
Sallie Will (Pickett) Edwards, Dawson
Mary Culler White, Conyers

1892

Annie (Lin) Foster, Macon
Mary Bond Smith, Macon
Marion (Speer) Heyward, Macon
Rosa Taylor, Macon

1894
Lula (Johnson) Comer, Macon

1895
Mary (Hitch) Peabody, Clearwater, Fla.

1897
Ruth Clark, Macon



India (Holt) Rambo
... of 1879

1899

Clare (Johnson) Walker, Macon

1901

Mary Belle (Adams) Davis, Macon

1902

Roxilane Edwards, Macon
Mary Addie (Murph) Mullino, Montezuma

1904

Lucille (Hatcher) Rodgers, Macon
Louise Lin, Macon

1906

Octavia (Burden) Stewart, Macon
Annabel Horn, Macon

1907

Judge Elizabeth (Bronson) Campbell, Arcadia, Fla.
Odille (King) Dasher, Macon
Tatum (Pope) Happ, Macon

1908

Mattie (Adams) Buchanan, Macon
Alice (Burden) Domingos, Macon
Bessie (Copeland) Griffin, Macon
Florence (Howard) Domingos, Macon
Clyde (Malone) Cohen, Moultrie
Newell Mason, Macon
Lucy (Stanley) McArthur, Irwinton
Frances (Stevens) Dessau, Macon
Linda Mae (Sullivan) Wood, Camp Hill, Alabama

1909

Nonie (Acree) Quillian, Atlanta
Hazel (Hamilton) Rogers, Macon
Susan Leonard, Atlanta
Anna (Quillian) Jones, Columbus
Annie May (Strickland) Lewis, Atlanta
Nora (Taylor) Houser, Macon

1910

Lois (Atkinson) McDaniel, Atlanta

1911

Marie (Adams) Timmerman, Macon
Gladys (Napier) Corbin, Macon

1912

Martha (Howard) Balkcom, Macon
Jennie (Loyall) Anderson, Macon
Clevie (McCarty) Johnson, Macon
Aleen (Poer) Hinton, Macon
Lucile (Trammell) Shi, Macon

1913

Katharine Carnes, Macon
Helen (Cater) Farmer, Macon
Annie (Gantt) Anderson, Macon
Frances (Godfrey) Candler, Madison
Martha (Riley) Holiday, Macon

1915

Eloise (Davis) Culverhouse, Macon
Claire (Dickey) Carreker, Birmingham, Alabama

Leola (Miller) Kendrick, Atlanta

1916

Christine Broome, Macon
Belle (Ross) Valentine, Macon
Anna Bell (Simpson) Kenney, Shellman

1917

Evelyn (Collier) Cason, Barnesville
Elizabeth (Davenport) Plant, Macon
Marion (Elder) Jones, Macon
Sarah (Hodge) Haywood, Fitzgerald
Mary (Lane) Mallet, Jackson

1918

Marion (Cook) Murphy, Rockville Centre, N. Y.

Elizabeth (Hudson) Glass, Macon

Pauline (Pierce) Corn, Macon

1919

Linda (Anderson) Lane, Macon
Rosaline (Jenkins) Gilmore, Atlanta
Ann (Martin) Holmes, Macon
Effie (Parker) Aiken, Atlanta

1920

Ruth (Benton) Persons, Macon
Grace (Laramore) Hightower, Thomas-ton

Ida (Shelnutt) Wylly, Tennille

Florence (Trimble) Jones, Macon

1921

Martha (Clark) Baker, Macon
Lora (Waterman) Burke, Macon

1923

Martha (Lifsey) Garrett, Macon
Elma (Sanders) Stubbs, Sylvania

1924

Honorine (Bollinger) VanZant, Macon
Josephine Brandenburg, Atlanta
Margaret (Bennett) Jones, Atlanta
Lillian (Budd) Jackson, Macon
Kate (Drake) Frye, Herndon
Marjorie (Gugel) Key, Macon
Elizabeth (Hackett) Knox, Gray
Lessie Mae (Hall) Stone, Montgomery, Alabama
Lois (Hart) Wheeler, Macon

Mary (Harwell) Crapps, Ft. Gaines
 Mildred (McCrary) Mitchell, Macon
 Elizabeth Malone, Jonesboro, Ark.
 Mary Miller, Brunswick
 Ruby (Montgomery) Harris, Knoxville,
 Tennessee
 Rosalie (Radford) Stillwell, Macon
 Roline (Trimble) Boyle, Atlanta
 Mary (Van Valkenburg) Wilcox, Lizella
 Frances Wootten, Atlanta

1925

Maryella Camp, Newnan
 Sarah (Culpepper) Cutts, Greenville
 Frances (Peabody) McKay, Clearwater,
 Florida

Annie Lawrence (Riley) Sawyer, Marsh-
 allville

Eunice Thomson, Macon
 Elizabeth Winn, Macon

1926

Mary Lou Barton, Macon
 Emily (Brown) Edwards, Macon
 Frances (Cater) Snow, Macon
 Freda (Kaplan) Nadler, Macon
 Margaret (Zattau) Roan, Atlanta

1927

Louise Bridges, Atlanta
 Mary Catherine (Burts) Meacham, At-
 lanta

Oze (Carlisle) Teate, Andalusia, Ala.
 Katherine (Catchings) Ware, Atlanta
 Julia Adelaide (McClatchey) Cook, At-
 lanta

Minnie (Van Valkenburg) Holt, Beloit,
 Wisconsin

Mary Alfrend, Macon

1928

Dorothy Alexander, Forsyth
 Salome (Anderson) Farrar, Macon
 Katherine (Armstrong) Bivins, Macon
 Virginia (Banks) St. John, Newnan
 Florence (Crum) Daniel, Cochran
 Sara Lee (Edwards) Whatley, Oxford
 Mozelle (Fuller) Williams, Atlanta
 Addie Funderburk, Macon
 Carolyn (Gates) Scoville, Thomasville
 Estelle (Jessup) Dillard, Columbus
 Mildred (Harrison) Castlen, Macon
 Mildred (Johnson) Gillespie, Atlanta
 Roberta (Jones) Gardiner, Macon
 Blythe McKay, Macon
 Kathleen Mackay, Atlanta
 Carolyn (Manget) Kirby, Newnan
 Gladys (Meyer) Waters
 Enna Morris, Macon
 Margaret (Otto) Lamb, Macon
 Anna Brown (Small) Paden, Lookout
 Mountain, Tenn.

Elizabeth Smith, Macon
 Margaret (Sprayberry) Herrin, Dalton
 Annie Lou (Thrasher) Thomas, Ashburn
 Pauline (Spratling) Merritt, Macon
 Aline (West) Willingham
 Gustie (Yarbrough) Pinholster, Macon

1929

Elizabeth (Allmond) Parks, Columbus
 Doris (Battle) Jones, Savannah
 Annie Ruth (Elder) Nealy, Griffin
 Elizabeth Benton Jones, Augusta
 Sara Lamon, Macon
 Helen (Lowe) Smith, Neptune Beach,
 Florida

Katherine (McCamy) Powers, Macon
 Frances (McNeill) Pate, Brookhaven
 Edna (Percy) Allman, College Park
 Hortense (Royal) Raines, Ashburn
 Kathryn (Royal) Wootten, Cordele
 Margaret Slocumb, Macon
 Retsy (Smith) Buchanan, Americus
 Nancy Stewart, Macon
 Geraldine Wheeler, Macon

1930

Louise (Beckham) Woods, Atlanta



REUNIONERS OF 1891

Left to right: Adela (Barksdale) Ware, Mary (Nicholson) Ainsworth, Sallie Will (Pickett) Edwards, Mary Culler White. (We had planned to have in the picture also the reunioners of 1890 and 1892 listed elsewhere in the magazine, but somehow missed them.)

Helen (Clark) Neal, Columbus
 Eugenia (Hutto) Howard, Augusta
 Geraldine Jackson, Macon
 Helen (Kilpatrick) Lyon, Atlanta
 Emily Orr, Macon
 Dorothy (Redwine) Black, Jacksonville,
 Florida
 Helen (Ross) Dennis, Macon
 Marjorie Royal, Cordele
 LeVert (Shepherd) Eubanks, Birming-
 ham, Ala.
 Cornelia (Turner) Thornton, Cordele

Mary Walden, Macon
 Elizabeth (Wilde) Lunsford, Atlanta

1931

Mildred (Goodrum) Heyward, Macon
 Margaret Hatcher, Macon

1932

Isabelle Kinnett, Macon
 Virginia (Townsend) Munford, Jackson,
 Mississippi

1933

Lois (Bennett) Davis, Macon
 Mary (Griffin) Smith, Elizabethton,



REUNIONERS OF 1908, 1909, 1910, AND 1911

Front row, left to right: Susan Leonard, Nora (Taylor) Houser, Anna (Quillian) Janes, Annie Mae (Strickland) Lewis, Lazell (Hamilton) Rogers, Gladys (Napier) Corbin, Marie (Adams) Timmerman.

Back row, left to right: Linda (Sullivan) Wood, Mattie (Adams) Buchanan, Alice (Burden) Domingos, alumnae trustee, Newel Mason, Lucy (Stanley) McArthur.



THE 1949 SENIOR DAUGHTERS OF ALUMNAE AND THEIR MOTHERS

Each senior's mother stands directly back of her. Mary Lane Edwards, class president, was unable to be present when the picture was made, and her mother, Emily (Brown) Edwards, stands back of Emily Mallet, the class vice-president, with Emily's mother.

Left to right, the girls and their mothers are: Mary McKay and Frances (Peabody) McKay; Dorothy (Stubbs) Hollingsworth and Elma (Sanders) Stubbs; Nell Rodgers and Lucille (Hatcher) Rodgers; Emily Mallet and Mary (Lane) Mallet; Julia Carreker and Claire (Dickey) Carreker; Lucile Shi and Lucile (Trammell) Shi; Evelyn Cason and Evelyn (Collier) Cason; Kate Haywood and Sarah (Hodge) Haywood.

(Absent when the picture was made were also: Wayne Aiken and her mother, Effie (Parker) Aiken; Jane Kendrick and Leola (Miller) Kendrick; Anna Frances Kenney and Anna Belle (Simpson) Kenney; Claudia (O'Neal) Alston and Amelia (Bass) O'Neal.)

Tennessee
Sara (Jennings) Smith, Macon
Christine (Quillian) Searcy, Montgomery,
Alabama
Mary (Rudisill) Trippe, Atlanta
Ida Young, Macon
1934
Louise (Kilpatrick) Zattau, Milledgeville
Sara (Gilbert) Tabor, Ft. Valley
1935
Mary Dozier, Macon
1937
Roy Domingos, Macon
Sarah Hammons, Brunswick
Carolyn Jordan, Glenwood
Katherine (Kilpatrick) Lamar, Macon
Nina (Tabor) Dorsey, Abbeville
1938
Frances (Collins) Huthnance, Macon
Rae (Stubbs) Ingley, Macon
1939
Virginia Anderson, Macon
Ann Maria Domingos, Macon
1940
Alice Domingos, Macon
1942
Rebecca (Griffin) Barton, Macon
Martha (Rodgers) Hudson, Atlanta
1943
Elizabeth (Drinnon) Lewis, Macon
Edith (Gillon) Harrison, Macon
Mamie (Griffin) Denson, Macon
Fran (Martin) Burns, Macon

1944
Alda (Alexander) Harper, Vine Green,
Kentucky
Kathryn (Terry) Groover, Macon
1945
Pauline Domingos, Macon
Kathryn (Gibbs) Steinbrugge, Emory
University
Herbert Herrington, Macon
Dorothea Jarratt, Macon
1946
Mary (McLendon) McManus, Macon
Louise Pate, Macon
1947
Nina Bishop, Starke, Fla.
Sally Bowen, Newnan
Frances (Callaway) McCommon, Macon
Jeannette Campbell, Macon
Anne (Carlton) Blanchard, Snellville
Eugenia (Corley) Simmons, Macon
Jeanne Gerner, Macon
Nell Hardeman, Ft. Valley
Martha Haynes, Winter Haven, Fla.
Jane Anne (Mallet) Settle, Jackson
Jean (Parkins) Heard, Macon
Margaret (Parsons) Andrews, Norcross
Rosa Schofield, Macon
Mildred (Scott) McGoldrick, Macon
Charlotte (Sockwell) McMullan, Forsyth
Betty Thompson, Macon
Mary Jo Thompson, Macon
Jean (Wheat) Dykes, Macon
1948
Annie Anderson, Macon

Mary Astumian, Macon
Kathleen (Branan) Koughgarden, Macon
Betty (Brannen) McDougald, Register
Ann Bridgers, Atlanta
Cordelia Dessau, Macon
Georgann (Dessau) Blum, Macon
Leanore (Dippy) Hall, Orlando, Fla.
Elizabeth Elyea, Atlanta
Gwendolyn (Flanagan) Hendrix, Atlanta
Betty Jane Henderson, Thomasville
Nona Hodges, Statesboro
Betty Kendrick, Atlanta
Valeria (McCullough) Murphey, Macon
Julianne (McDaniel) Perry, Kelly
Evelyn McGarrity, Meldrim
Mary Nims, Macon
Mary Pate, Macon
Doris (Poe) Anderson, Macon
Shirley Scott, Tampa, Fla.
Evelyn Smith, Macon
Louise Stanley, Macon
Kathleen (Thomasson) Mayfield, Macon
Betty Tillman, Register
Anne Vinson, Chapel Hill, N. C.
1949
Charles Stewart Jacobs, Macon
Helen Ledsinger, Marietta
Alice (Leighton) Burner, Jacksonville,
Florida
Nina Mitchell, Athens
1950
H. F. Foley, Jr., Macclenny, Fla.
Marie Stalnaker, Macon

REUNION ECHOES

Some of the reunion classes made special plans for entertainment aside from that planned for the whole group. We asked some member of each of these classes to tell us about their reunion. Katherine (Armstrong) Bivins took the lead for 1928, and had such an overwhelming response that we shall have to put into the class notes in the next magazine the news she received from classmates who could not be present!

Sara Lamon sent out the invitations to 1929 and, together with other Macon classmates, worked hard to make the reunion a success. Geraldine Wheeler got together a group of her classmates and planned for the class of 1930.

The class of 1924, Silver Anniversary Class, was entertained at "The Parsonage" by Eunice Thomson.

News of those who came and messages from those who did not will be found in this issue of the magazine and in the next one! Part of this you will read on this page and the next, part in the Class Notes.

The Reunion of 1928

By Katherine (Armstrong) Bivins

When several of the Macon alumnae of 1928 gathered at Aline (West) Willingham's to plan a party for our returning classmates, we had such a good time that we knew the get-together at Commencement would be a success. There is a contagious happiness when Wesleyannes start talking of old times, the changes since, the plans for the future, and always there is the persistent, quiet, unspoken feeling of gratitude for all that our Wesleyan days mean to us. So, when our Commencement tea was held, the friendliness and appreciation of the twelve returning alumnae warmed the hearts of the twelve Macon alumnae, and after nearly two hours of chatting in the shady garden of the old colonial home, "The Columns," we parted with the hope of meeting again soon. This was the sort of experience we shall look back on many times as a source of encouragement and inspiration for days that are more ordinary.

We thought we were very fortunate to have had about 75 replies to our invitation to the tea, many with newsy notes in them, and to have 24 members of the class present at the tea! Because there is so much news to pass on to you, I shall refrain from comments.

Here are those of us who attended any of the Commencement events alphabetically listed by our maiden names:

Dorothy Alexander is librarian at Besse Tift College.

Mary Alfriend teaches in Miller High School for Girls in Macon.

Salome (Anderson) Farrar, always loyal in every Wesleyan undertaking, has a fine senior high school age son who is an Eagle Scout.

Katherine (Armstrong) Bivins finds life

most interesting with three sons and a young daughter.

Virginia (Banks) St. John of Newnan, wife of a doctor, mother of a seven-year-old son, was elected a national officer of the Alumnae Association.

Florence (Crum) Daniel, Cochran, has three sons.

Sara Lee (Edwards) Whatley of Covington has a daughter, Lavinia, who has a lovely voice, and a son, Sam, Jr., who is planning to study dentistry.

Mozelle (Fuller) Williams, Atlanta, keeps up her Red Cross work through the post-war years, and raises orchids at home.

Addie Funderburke teaches in the senior girls' high school in Macon.

Carolyn (Gates) Scoville, Thomasville, has a son and a little daughter.

Mildred (Harrison) Castlen is dietitian at a Macon grammar school and is the mother of a sixteen-year-old daughter.

Estelle (Jessup) Dillard, Columbus, showed us pictures of her lovely nineteen-year-old daughter and twelve-year-old son. Her husband is a doctor.

Mildred (Johnson) Gillespie, Atlanta, is teaching in the public school.

Roberta (Jones) Gardiner, Macon, and her husband live at Greenwood Farm, several miles from Wesleyan. Her daughter, Allee, was married in June. Her two other children are a son, George, and a daughter, Roberta.

Blythe McKay is society editor of The Macon Telegraph.

Kathleen Mackay, Emory University, is a medical artist.

Carolyn (Manget) Kirby came from Newnan to light Roslyn Atkinson's candle.

Gladys (Meyer) Waters, Macon, is busy keeping house and teaching.

Enna Morris of Macon has an interesting position at Robins Field.

Margaret (Otto) Lamb, Macon, is teaching and making a home for her little daughter.

Brownie (Small) Paden, Chattanooga, has a son at Georgia Tech and one in high school.

Elizabeth Smith is a teacher at Lanier High for Boys in Macon.

Pauline (Spratling) Merritt, Macon, is active in civic affairs in Macon and keeps a beautiful home and yard.

Margaret (Sprayberry) Herrin and her husband live in Dalton.

Annie Lou (Thrasher) Thomas manages an ice plant in Ashburn.

Aline (West) Willingham is active in many groups in Macon, and has a handsome teen-age son.

Gustine (Yarbrough) Pinholster is in the office of the Central of Georgia R. R. in Macon.

1929's Twentieth Anniversary

By Geraldine Wheeler

"One of the best things about a party is talking about it afterward"—an oft quoted quote that was surely true when Sara Lamon, Clara Nell Hargrove, Katharine (McCamy) Powers, and I (Gerrie Wheeler) met for the second time in Katherine's nice office at the Washington Memorial Library to do "afterward" talking about "our party," the steak supper some Macon girls had for the 29er's out at the Powers' very nice home on the Colaparchee Road the Saturday night of commencement. Clara Nell, who had kept Martha (Orr) Hutcherson's children, Paula and Paige, for commencement week-end while Martha and "Hutch" went to Dahlonga and so had not been out to Katherine's, wanted to hear all that went on. Of course we detailed the food aspects—how good the steaks were dipped in the sauce she and Martha had made—how adept Katherine is at cooking on her huge stone fireplace—how the pies were squishy—how rabbitly we felt with Sara's delicious tossed salad—and on and on.

At the first meeting to plan the supper the question was: "Will we know each other?" So at this second Coke-talk, we



THE SILVER ANNIVERSARY CLASS, 1924

Front row, left to right: Lillian (Budd) Jackson, Mary Miller, Honorine (Bollinger) Van Zant, Rosalie (Radford) Stillwell, Elizabeth Malone, Lessie Mae (Hall) Stone, Ann Elizabeth Stanley.

Second row, left to right: Josephine Brandenburg, Marjorie (Gugel) Key, Roline (Trimble) Boyle, Margaret (Bennett) Jones, Frances Wootten, Mary (Harwell) Crapps, Ruby (Montgomery) Harris.

tried to bring Clara Nell to realize how easy it was to recognize each other—just keeping the new names straight was the difficulty. We could report that Edna (Percy) Allman is as altogether-looking as she ever was; Hortense (Royal) Raines just as tall and just as gay; Betsy (Smith) Buchanan just as petite and sparkling. Other things we told Clara Nell included:

Annie Ruth (Elder) Nealy and I enjoyed talking business education and the fact that she had worked with our Dr. Mark Smith in Thomaston. It's like our Veterropt said about Annie Ruth: "And in her face shown goodness, courage, honor."

Elizabeth Benton Jones who joined us as senior from Randolph-Macon rode out with Margaret Edenfield and me. Elizabeth does lots of civic work and has many and varied interests in Augusta. (We could hardly make Clara Nell understand

how a person our age could look as young and unchanged as Elizabeth does.)

Helen (Lowe) Smith lives in Florida and keeps her beautiful, even tan and dark hair and good figure. Helen edited that Veterropt I had out there for the girls to write their new names and addresses in. And yet in many cases not so new either when we think about the grown children many mothers told about after much persuasion.

We missed getting in much talk with Doris (Battle) Jones who had to catch the Nancy Hanks back to Savannah and her fine family.

Clara Nell and Margaret see Margaret Slocumb daily at Lanier Junior High for Girls where they teach; I see her only occasionally in a bank or dime-store; her work in mathematics and music, her coaching, and her summer trips always interest me. This summer she's going to Canada, instead of studying as she has for

so many years.

Clara Nell is collaborating on a history of Macon and works hours upon hours at the library; this talk-fest was a rest for her and her eyes. She and Sara mentioned that an interesting study could be made of some of the early academies for girls in central Georgia and that source materials are in the old newspapers Clara Nell is scanning (literally and with a magnifying glass) and in the historic collection at Wesleyan library.

Of course we talked families and children and husbands and jobs, other Wesleyan friends and teachers and "do you remember?", movings, trips, successes and failures and dozens of letters and notes from girls who couldn't come for this reunion—and how nice it is to see each other.

I hope the next reunion time more girls can come back and cook steak with us again.

1930 Has Tea Together

By Geraldine Jackson

The Macon Alumnae of the class of 1930 were hostesses at a tea given at the Sidney Lanier Cottage on Saturday afternoon, June 4, for the visiting alumnae of their class. Among those present were Helen (Clark) Neal, Louise Bridges, Louise (Beckham) Woods, Dot (Redwine) Black, Cornelia (Turner) Thornton, Marjorie Royal, Eugenia (Hutto) Howard, Helen (Kilpatrick) Lyon, Elizabeth (Wilde) Lunsford, LeVert (Shepherd) Eubanks, Helen (Clisby) Barfield, Carolyn Gibson, Mary Walden, Emily Orr, Helen (Ross) Dennis, and Gerry Jackson.

We had an enjoyable time chatting over the punch cups and catching up on all happenings since graduation. Cornelia (Turner) Thornton had a daughter to graduate June 3, and she plans to be at Wesleyan in the fall. Cornelia and Helen (Clark) Neal each have four children. The guests read letters that Gerry Jackson had received from many of the girls who were unable to attend. Maybe some of the rest of you 1930 girls would like to know some of the information we learned

from these letters. Imelda (Boger) Nelms and her family are living in Lakeland, Florida, now where they have a 30 acre grove. Lucile (Trowbridge) Marks had to wire Saturday morning she was unable to come due to the sudden illness of her son. A letter this week, however, from Eugenia (Hutto) Howard said he is fine now. Nel (Mullis) Jones wrote that if any of the class gets to Los Angeles to please come to Glendale to see her, her twelve-year-old Penny and her husband. Minnie Lee (Herrington) Varner adopted 2 small children Christmas so she has her hands full. Dot (Otto) Hope and her family had just been through that terrible flood in Fort Worth when she wrote. It was an awful experience though Dot's family suffered no injuries, just the inconveniences of doing without water for a while and then boiling the drinking water for several days.

Elizabeth (Edmondson) Buchanan and her husband are in a new house now in Miami. Winnie (Jones) Smith was unable to come back due to Emory's Commencement coming at the same time and her husband was busy with that. Margaret (Garnett) Harris's husband has just finished his first year as Superintendent of schools in West Palm Beach, Florida, and the whole family likes it very much there. Vivian (Majors) Bird is in Alexan-

dria, Va., now. Her husband works in the Pentagon Building. They have been stationed in Honolulu, California, and Alaska before going to Washington. Vivian has a daughter eleven and two boys, six and four. She, like lots of other mothers, has had her hands full with chicken pox, measles and mumps this spring. Notes were received from Winnie (Meyer) Benscoter, Sally (Godley) Edwards, Mildred (Garrett) Borum, Cleo (Morrow) Hutcheson, Lorraine (Williams) Garrett, and Mallette (Crum) Cabero expressing their regrets. Cleo's daughter has finished her freshman year at Wesleyan this June. One of the Macon Alumnae—Myrtis (Garrett) Stowe—was unable to be present as she was in Washington to see her son Joe Burgin begin his summer cruise from Annapolis where he is studying.

The guests received little favors in the form of booklets in their class colors of lavender and white with their Round Table Shield on the front. These books contained several songs that had been favorites during college days. Helen (Clark) Neal played for group singing. We had places for the guests to write their names and addresses in these books so everyone was busy for several minutes exchanging booklets and writing. It was a good Reunion, and we are sorry all the 1930 girls couldn't attend!



REUNIONERS OF 1927, 1928, 1929, AND 1930

Front row, left to right: Mary Walden, Doris (Battle) Jones, Frances (McNeil) Pate, Margaret Slocumb, Helen (Lowe) Smith, Elizabeth (Smith) Buchanan, Virginia (Banks) St. John, Julia Adelaide (McClatchey) Cook, Katherine (Catchings) Ware, Oze (Carlisle) Teate, Sara Lee (Edwards) Whatley, Florence (Crum) Daniel, Margaret (Sprayberry) Herrin, Marjorie Royal.

Second row, left to right: Sara Lamon, Emily Orr, Edna

Raines, Dorothy (Redwine) Black, Annie Ruth (Elder) Nealy, (Percy) Allman, Elizabeth (Almond) Parks, Hortense (Royal) LeVert (Shepherd) Eubanks, Eugenia (Hutto) Howard, Helen (Ross) Dennis, Elizabeth (Wilde) Lunsford, Helen (Clark) Neal, Louise (Beckham) Woods, Cornelia (Turner) Thornton, Mildred (Johnson) Gillespie, Margaret (Otto) Lamb, Estelle (Jessup) Dillard, Kathryn (Royal) Wooten, Kathleen Mackay, Geraldine Jackson.

Here Are Your New Officers!

In expressing appreciation to the officers of the Wesleyan Alumnae Association who were retiring after a three-year term of office, Jennie (Loyall) Anderson called attention to many accomplishments of their administration.

"To Annie (Gantt) Anderson, president, daughter of an alumna, mother of three alumnae daughters; to her fellow officers, and to Iola (Wise) Stetson, alumnae trustee, we express our appreciation for their service and our wishes for many future years of usefulness to their Alma Mater," read the Resolutions.

New Slate of Officers

Florence (Trimble) Jones of Macon, A.B. 1920, was named president of the national Wesleyan Alumnae Association. Ever since her graduation from Wesleyan, Florence has been active in work for her Alma Mater. Her marriage to Dr. Grover C. Jones, osteopathic physician, brought her to Macon to live, and the material in her folder in the alumnae biographical files reads like a continued story of Wesleyan. In 1928 her four-year-old daughter, Lina, won a prize in the Alumnae Baby Show on the Wesleyan campus; in 1929 Florence was in charge of the alumnae tea at commencement and was busy outlining the work of committees and later settling bills for this occasion. In 1936 she was "Official Georgia" in the Wesleyan Centennial Pageant. In 1942 Lina entered Wesleyan, and in 1946 was graduated with honor and held a responsible position with the state Department of Public Welfare in Macon before marrying young doctor Maurice Arnold, now practicing medicine in Hawkinsville, and becoming the mother of Maurice Arnold, Jr. In 1948 she took the chairmanship for Macon of the Wesleyan Second Century Fund, and was efficient in this as she is in everything she undertakes. She is one of those people who are "the salt of the earth," taking seriously and prayerfully the duties of her home, her church, and her college.

Kay (Bailey) Burts, conservatory alumna of the class of 1931, who succeeds Mary Dudley (Fort) Colley as vice-president in charge of classes and commencement, has proved her ability as a leader and her loyalty to Wesleyan in two responsible offices, that of president of the Atlanta Wesleyan Club, and of Area Chairman for North Georgia in the Second Century Fund Campaign. During her term as president of the Atlanta Club that organization sponsored "Alice in Wonder-

land" by the Wesleyan Speech Department, a tremendous undertaking and highly successful, largely because of Kay's efficient management. Her husband is Ransom Burts, associated with Southeastern Cottons, Inc., and their lovely daughter, Martha, a graduate of Washington Seminary, is now an art student at Wesleyan.

Virginia (Banks) St. John of Newnan will succeed Mary (Robeson) Boardman as vice-president in charge of Wesleyan clubs. Virginia, too, has been working for Wesleyan ever since her graduation in 1928, as president of the Newnan Club, and in many unofficial capacities. She is a



Florence (Trimble) Jones
... President

third generation Wesleyanne, and in the Wesleyan Historical Collection are the diploma, commencement badge, and valedictory address of her grandmother, V. Irene (Baldwin) Murph, A.B. 1867, given by Virginia and her mother, Irene (Murph) Banks of the class of 1899. Virginia's husband is Dr. James Oliver St. John, now practicing in Newnan, and they have a seven-year-old son, James Oliver, Jr.

Ida (Shelnutt) Wyly, 1920, of Sandersville, will serve as vice-president in charge of the historical collection, succeeding Anne (Bates) Haden. Ida is a loyal and enthusiastic alumna, former president of the Sandersville Wesleyan Club and third vice-president of the Alumnae Association from 1938 to 1941. In 1948 she was married to Thomas Cook Wyly of Tennille, and they live at Oak Lodge Plantation.

Jane Anne (Mallet) Settle, A.B. 1947, who succeeds Roberta (Rones) James as vice-president in charge of high school

relations, won a competitive scholarship to Wesleyan, made an outstanding record, graduating magna cum laude and being elected to Phi Delta Phi. Her mother is Mary (Lane) Mallet, A.B. '17, of Jackson. Her sister, Emily, also competitive winner and honor student, graduated this year. Jane Anne is married to James B. Settle, Atlanta, and has been teaching at Washington Seminary.

Frances (Cater) Snow, A.B. 1926, of Macon will succeed Virginia Anderson as secretary. Frances has held offices in the Macon Wesleyan Club, her chief interest being in enlisting the interest of high school girls in the college. She has served as class agent for the Loyalty Fund on several occasions. Active in civic and church affairs in Macon, former president of the Junior League she is the wife of a prominent Macon attorney, Cubbedge, Snow, and the mother of a son, Cubbedge, Jr., who is an honor student at Emory, and a high school daughter, Cater.

Lila May Chapman, A.B. 1891, Macon, will be the new treasurer of the Association, succeeding Virginia (Townsend) Munford. Former Alumnae Trustee, and former president of the Birmingham Wesleyan Alumnae Club, she has served her Alma Mater faithfully and well for many years. In 1947 she retired after 38 years as Director of the Public Library of Birmingham, Ala., having watched the library there grow from one small subscription library to a large system with 11 city branches and 95 county stations. Since returning to her home city, Macon, she has been very busy in work for her church, St. James Episcopal, the Phi Mu, of which she is historian, and Wesleyan, which she has served recently as Chairman of the Bequest Program.

Rebecca (Caudill) Ayars of Urbana, Ill., was elected Alumnae Trustee, to succeed Iola (Wise) Stetson. A write-up about Rebecca and her picture appeared in the May issue of the alumnae magazine. Since Commencement we have learned of the graduation with honor of her son, James, Jr., at Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., and of his winning a scholarship to Harvard University.

Annie (Gantt) Anderson, retiring president of the Association, was elected a member of the Board of Managers, the group of nine alumnae in whose hands rests the responsibility of deciding matters of business, finance, and policy for the alumnae.

The Nominations Committee consisted of: Kitty (Cater) Jones, Lucia (Chappell) Domingos, Linda (Anderson) Lane, Nonie (Acree) Quillian, and Betty (Turner) Corn.



Kay (Bailey) Burts
... Atlanta



Virginia (Banks) St. John
... Newnan



Ida (Shelnutt) Wylly
... Tennille



Lila May Chapman
... Macon

Alumnae Gifts to the Library

By Katharine P. Carnes, Librarian

The wonderful gift of \$3,000 from the Wesleyan Alumnae came as a surprise to me but certainly this gives us the encouragement we have needed so much in our work with the library at the Conservatory. Alleen (Poer) Hinton is planning to use this amount in tearing out walls, building floors, and putting the space in shape for real library planning. Everybody who ever went to the Conservatory or the old college will remember the numbers of practice rooms and studios that occupied the space under the Grand Parlor and the library. When the partitions are cleared away an airy, attractive room will emerge with windows on three sides and with possibilities for a workable library and pleasant reading room.

Alumnae have enabled us to hope that we shall not be forever crowded into the inadequate quarters the Conservatory library now occupies. The Atlanta Alumnae gave \$1,000 for the Florrie Cook White

Art Library, which was bought during depression times and was a nucleus of really fine art books which we could not duplicate for twice the amount today. After the success made by the performance of Alice in Wonderland, the Atlanta Alumnae gave \$500 for the purchase of books for the speech library.

The Atlanta Club's interest in the Conservatory library was due, in large part, to Annabel Horn and her enthusiasm for the Conservatory. Her other love is, of course, the Latin language and literature and she has just given the Candler Memorial Library at the college an initial gift of \$25.00 for the purchase of books on the classics and says that this is only the beginning of gifts she intends to make regularly.

Another Atlanta alumna, Jessie (Munroe) Dickey, has given this year \$425 to add to the Jessie Munroe Dickey Library of English Literature which was estab-

lished by Bishop Dickey in honor of his wife in 1923. This fund has been a real boon to the library and has enabled us to buy rare and expensive books of English literature.

A gift which has not been added to but which is a never-failing source of help to the library is the Eva Gertrude McDonald Fund, which is the interest from \$25,000 given by Mrs. Dora McDonald of Cuthbert as a memorial to her daughter. It is hard to imagine how we could have weathered our bad years without the McDonald Fund which has bought so many wonderful books. It is interesting to note that Jessie (Munroe) Dickey and Eva Gertrude McDonald were both members of the Wesleyan class of 1887.

Essie (Skellie) McCook of Macon has again given \$25.00 this year to buy books in memory of Virginia McCook of the class of 1935. It is a joy to work with Mrs. McCook in selecting books which seem to us the sort of live, gay books that Virginia would have liked, and which our students today enjoy.



Frances (Cater) Snow
... Macon



Jane Anne (Mallet) Settle
... Atlanta



Rebecca (Caudill) Ayars
... Urbana, Ill.

Louise Stanley, A.B. '48, Frances Strohecker, and Milda Cizauskas of the department of physical education have contributed money to buy books in memory of Dr. Jane E. Wolf. Frances Strohecker also gave a book earlier in the year in memory of Lora (Waterman) Burke's father,

Birdie Baber Blackshear has given three volumes of music in memory of her sister, Mary (both of the class of 1892). of the Wesleyan music faculty. "Miss Birdie" has also made available to us some very interesting material on Montpelier Springs and the Episcopal school there, and material on Christ Church, these having been collected and preserved by Mary Blackshear.

Eugenia (Coleman) Wasden, A.B. '31, has given us a number of interesting books which belonged to her mother, Edith (Stetson) Coleman, A.B. '97. These will be treasured in our library. The collection includes some unusual Georgia items which we are delighted to have.

Many times each day the Candler Memorial Library at Wesleyan has cause to be grateful to our alumnae who have done so much to help us.

Conservatory Given Julia Marlowe Photos

Julia Marlowe, celebrated actress, has given to Wesleyan Conservatory department of drama six photographs of herself, all personally inscribed. Such photographs have been given heretofore only to the Museum of the City of New York, and the Treasure Room of the American College at Cairo, the city where she had her winter home.

Wesleyan came to the attention of the great actress through Robert Burns Dickie, until recently associated with the college in the office of the Second Century Fund. He met her in Switzerland in 1936 where she was attending the Mozart and Wagner festivals.

Included in the collection given to Wesleyan are photographs of Julia Marlowe as Viola in Twelfth Night, as Katherine in The Taming of the Shrew, and as Juliet in Romeo and Juliet. The photographs will hang in the conservatory theatre where they will help to perpetuate the memory of one of the world's great actresses while they serve as an inspiration to the students of drama.

Painting Honoring Alumna Unveiled in Pennsylvania

Martha (Huff) Jennings, '91, former Wesleyan alumnae trustee, received high tribute on April 24th of this year when a mural panel in the First Presbyterian Church of Germantown, Pa., was unveiled in her honor and in memory of her husband, the late Dr. William Beatty Jennings, minister of the church for 29 years.

The panel, a gift from a committee composed of 100 friends of Dr. and Mrs. Jennings, represents "The Raising of Dorcas from the Dead" and is one of 10 panels commemorating Great Women of the Bible which have been placed in the Pastoral Aid Room of the Germantown church. The painting was unveiled by the Jennings grandchildren, Martha Nixon Smith and Beatty Jennings Smith. The entire mural frieze was executed by Violet Oakley, distinguished American Mural and portrait painter.

At the dedication ceremony Mrs. Jennings was cited for her long years of work for the church in which her consecrated husband's ministry had proved such a blessing. "Mrs. Jennings has poured out

her life in service for the women of this church," declared a member of the donors committee. "We acknowledge the great debt we owe to her gallant leadership and offer our love and devotion.

"Whether engaged in the work of a pastor's wife, or serving as a member of the Women's Foreign Missionary Board, or as a trustee of her Alma Mater. Wesleyan College of Macon, Georgia, Mrs. Jennings gave freely of her time and talents. 'She was a born leader,' wrote a friend of her early girlhood, 'even inventive, ever interesting—it was our joy to follow and be a part of such lively plans as she set in motion'."

The friend whose description was quoted is Mary Bond Smith, '92, who wrote a biographical sketch of Mrs. Jennings which was published in The Wesleyan Alumnae, May 1939. In that excellent article the author speaks of their days together at Wesleyan where they were both members of the Philomathean Society; of her marriage to Dr. Jennings and the joy with which the Wesleyan girl entered into the work of a minister's wife; of the great sorrow which later came to them in the long illness and death of their son, Arnold Huff Jennings, a young physician of promise; of the affectionate esteem in which both she and her husband were held in the four pastorates which he served during their lifetime together.

When Martha (Huff) Jennings accepted the Wesleyan trusteeship on Alumnae Day, 1939, she said: "I brought from Wesleyan things which have been of invaluable good to me in my strenuous life . . . I learned there to do hard things and to like the doing of them. Wesleyan has had tremendous assets in the past—courage and faith—and these she can share with us. If some mornings we wake and find our hearthstones cold, and a certain deadness within our hearts, we can touch the living embers of her warm faith and steadfast gleam of her unfaltering courage and light our souls with these."

Mrs. Deidrich Dies In Ft. Lauderdale

During the Commencement season Wesleyan alumnae were saddened to learn of the death in Florida of Mrs. Jessie Nunn Deidrich, who was on the staff of the college in the home department from 1922 to 1941. Funeral services were held in Macon at Memorial Chapel with Dr. William F. Quillian, president of the college during her years of service, officiating.

Mrs. Deidrich was a former resident of Macon and a member of Mulberry Street Methodist Church. She is remembered on the campus as a gracious, distinguished-looking Southern lady. Always tastefully dressed and faultlessly groomed, she supervised the buildings, seeing that all was kept attractive and made comfortable for the college family.

About the Alumnae Loyalty Fund

Since the May magazine, 322 alumnae have sent to their Alma Mater a total of \$1,335.25.

We had planned at one time to use this list of names in this issue, but since our fiscal year closes August 31, we have decided to use the list, concluding our two-year period of the Second Century Fund Campaign, in the fall issue.

**IF YOU HAVE NOT SENT YOUR GIFT TO WESLEYAN, AUGUST 31
IS THE LAST DAY TO SEND YOUR GIFT FOR 1948-49!**

Alumnae Librarians At Atlanta Meeting

When the Georgia Library Association met in Atlanta in April for its 1949 Conference, there were many Wesleyan alumnae among the group!

Margaret Hatcher, A.B. '31, was made chairman of the Cataloging Section of the Association, to serve for the next two years, and she also took part in a discussion on the subject, "Some College and Reference Problems" on the first day of the conference. She is assistant librarian at Wesleyan.

Katherine (McCamy) Powers, A.B. '29, librarian of the Washington Memorial Library in Macon, participated in a symposium on community cooperation by libraries. Katherine is on the constitution committee of the Association.

Sarah Jones, A.B. '23, chairman of the Textbook and Library Division of the State Department of Education, served on the Georgia committee of a library survey; as did also Hazel Austin, A.B. '33, of the library division, Veterans' Administration; and Virginia McJenkin, A.B. '27, chairman of the Fulton County Libraries in Atlanta.

Elizabeth Whitehead, A.B. '34, also of Fulton County School Libraries, served as chairman of an exhibits committee.

Also representing Wesleyan in the Association are: Safford Harris, A.B. '31, on the library staff at Georgia Tech; Sara Lamon, A.B. '29, assistant librarian at Wesleyan; Dorothy Alexander, A.B. '28, librarian at Bessie Tift; Mary Clark, A.B. '32, with the Atlanta school libraries; Ruth Corry, A.B. '42, with the Atlanta division of the University of Georgia; Louise Stanley, A.B. '48, on the staff of the Washington Memorial Library in Macon.

At the conference was Wesleyan's librarian, Katharine P. Carnes, A.B. '13, who holds the Master's degree in library science from the University of Michigan.

Annabel Horn's New Latin Book Is Highly Praised

Annabel Horn, Harry Fletcher Scott and John Flagg Gummere are names well-known to teachers and students of Latin for years. Most high schools nowadays use the texts in Latin which this Wesleyan alumna, former teacher of Latin herself, had a hand in writing, and their attractive appearance and sound pedagogy are familiar to thousands.

A new book, "Using Latin," out this year, received enthusiastic praise from Dorrance S. White in *The Classical Journal* for May, 1949. He writes:

"Whenever I attempt to appraise a first-year Latin book, I lay out in my mind what I should try to achieve during the year with a first-year class: enable the pupil to translate simple Latin accurately into English; make him feel happy and contented in his effort to accomplish this; make my burden as light as possible while I am guiding him; finally, bring the pupil and his parents to feel that the effort expended has been definitely worth while.

"It seems to me that the authors of 'Using Latin' must have been conscious of these aims. The book has marshalled well the 'facts of Latin.' It is interesting every step of the way. Its units of work present a clear-cut outline for the teacher. The correlation of Latin with English and the implications of ancient Roman and modern American civilization are most carefully drawn.

"It is interesting to note that the authors have dispensed with the conventional general grammatical survey found at the opening of many first-year books. But they seem to have been very successful throughout the book in making grammar make sense.

"I have often wished, whenever a particularly successful first-year Latin book appeared, that I could call back the years and start again in the atmosphere of so attractive and practical a book as 'Using Latin.' The book contains the minimum of sins of omission and commission, and a maximum of everything that the teacher wants and the pupil needs."

Wesleyan Student Sings With Atlanta Pops Concert



Allene Hall

Allene Hall of Brunswick, student at Wesleyan Conservatory, was guest soloist with the Atlanta Pops Concert Orchestra when the summer series opened on July 10. She sang "The Bitterness of Love" and "Jealousy."

Allene, who will be a senior at the conservatory in the fall, is a pupil of Vladimir Zorin, head of the voice department, and was soloist of the Wesleyan Glee Club this year.

Concerts are held during the summer months at the Fox Theatre in Atlanta, and artists for the programs are selected by auditions held in advance.

Conservatory Dean In Organ Recital

By Lois Rogers, A.B. 1896, Clayton, Ga.

On Sunday evening, May 8, Doris Onderdonk Jelks, Dean of Wesleyan Conservatory, gave an organ recital in the Clayton Methodist Church. A large and appreciative audience greeted her. The Clayton Music Club attended as a group and were enthusiastic in their praise of her and of the program. Several times she paused for comment on the number and composer. She won her audience by her gracious, warm manner, as well as by her interpretations. As she always does, wherever she appears, Mrs. Jelks reflected honor on the Conservatory and recognition of herself as an artist of high rank.

IN MEMORIAM

Theodosia Tinsley, 1893

Neppie (Warren) Holland, 1894

Susie Ogden, 1903

Charlotte (McRae) Petrey, 1909

WEDDINGS AND ENGAGEMENTS

Aiken—Burdell

Wayne Aiken, A.B. 1949, to Charles A. Burdell of Atlanta, in October.

Allison—Morgan

Sarah Frances Allison, Conservatory 1950, to Guy Preston Morgan of Macon, July 1.

Beaver—Harris

Betty Beaver, Conservatory 1948, to Martin Lewis Harris of Brunswick, April 18.

Buntyn—Gooze

Betty Buntyn, A.B. 1949, to Joseph Morris Gooze of Atlanta in June.

Burnett—Sleamaker

Jane Burnett, A.B. 1949, to Willard V. Sleamaker, June 11.

Carlton—Hankins

Carol Carlton, Conservatory 1950, to William E. Hankins, Jr., of Delray Beach, Fla., March 18.

Cason—Wheeler

Evelyn Cason, A.B. 1949, to Jack Wheeler in September.

Coart—Johnson

Jean Coart 1951, to Henry Cecil Johnson, Jr., of Atlanta, June 21.

Clark—Jackson

Carolyn Clark, A.B. 1945, to William Ralph Jackson, Jr., of Donovan, June 16.

Cooley—Ray

Louise Cooley, Secretarial 1946, to the Rev. James Lamar Ray of Clarkston, May 17.

Cooper—Saunders

Dorothy Cooper, 1945, to Ensign Walter Ernest Saunders, U. S. N., of Bainbridge in the spring.

Cordes—Kelley

Mary Louise Cordes, A.B. 1939, to James William Kelley of Lithonia, in August.

Creety—Nikas

Mary Creety, 1949, to James George Nikas of Atlanta, June 12.

Dippy—Hall

Leonore Dippy, A.B. 1948, to Lynn F. Hall of Orlando, Fla., May 28.

Dodd—Trawick

Matilda Dodd, Conservatory 1950, to Frederick Lee Trawick of Macon, June 15.

Driskell—Kirkland

Ann Driskell, 1951, to Joseph Jack Kirkland of Melbourne, Fla., June 24.

Elyea—McKenzie

Dorothy Elyea, A.B. 1949, to Hilton Eugene McKenzie of Atlanta, September 11.

Emerson—Phillip

Marilyn Emerson, A.B. 1949, to John Phillips in the late summer.

Evans—Bell

Dorothy Elizabeth Evans, Conservatory 1950, to Leonard Wallis Bell of Macon, June 18.

Foster—Thurston

Virginia Foster, A.B. 1945, to Milton Stevenson Thurston of Taylorsville, N. C., and Atlanta, June 25.

Fowler—Gartrell

Louise Fowler, A.B. 1949, to Robert Ernest Gartrell of Atlanta in June.

Frankland—Lawrence

Leila Frankland 1951, to Samuel Mathews Lawrence, Jr., of Jackson, Tenn., in the summer.

Gardiner—Hollis

Allee Gardiner, 1952, to William Eugene Hollis, Jr., of Macon, June 15.

Halley—Marshall

Anne Halley, B.M. 1947, to Clifton Earl Marshall of Reynolds, June 19.

Hawkins—Jones

Mildred Hawkins, A.B. 1949, to Louis Bevel Jones III, in August.

Herndon—Arnold

Dorothy Herndon, A.B. 1945, to Dr. McAlpin Hill Arnold of Elberton, July 5.

Johnson—Tutt

Anne Johnson, Conservatory 1948, to Jefferson Warthen Tutt of Macon, June 21.

Jones—Walker

Gertrude (Hay) Jones, 1917, to William Brown Walker of Miami, Fla., June 17.

Kendrick—Laurens

Jane Kendrick, A.B. 1949, to Richard Giles Laurens of Atlanta in the summer.

Lowe—Thomas

Jean Lowe, A.B. 1947, to William H. Thomas, June 25.

McCowen—Parkerson

Mary McCowen, A.B. 1948, to George Robert Parkerson, Jr., of Savannah, June 4.

McKay—Stephan

Mary McKay, A.B. 1949, to William Stephan of Clearwater, Fla., in August.

Marsh—Anderson

Doris Marsh, A.B. 1947, to Allen Anderson of Florida, in January.

Mayher—Ward

Betty Jean Mayher, 1950, to Lt. Robert Marion Ward, U.S.A., July 9.

Nunn—Domingos

Mary Ann Nunn, Secretarial 1946, to Richard Burden Domingos of Macon in the fall.

Parker—Nesbitt

Minette Parker, Conservatory 1949, to Robert Dowds Nesbitt of Verona, N. J., May 30.

Pate—Skene

Louise Pate, A.B. 1946, to George Neil Skene of Macon and Athens, November 5.

Pirkle—Aiken

Laura Pirkle, 1951, to John Spencer Harrison Aiken of Brunswick, April 14.

Roads—Griffith

Mildred Roads, 1949, to James Norman Griffith of Macon and Spartanburg, S. C., June 5.

Sams—Allen

Marjorie Sams, 1950, to William Hutchings Allen, Jr., of Ft. Smith, Arkansas, June 9.

Secrest—Poole

Catherine Secrest, 1949, to William Melvin Pool of Athens, and Woodruff, S. C., in June.

Shi—Hanson

Lucile Shi, A.B. 1949, to Wesley Hanson of Macon, in the fall.

Smith—Sharp

Dorothy Smith, 1952, to Thomas Benjamin Sharp, Jr., of Atlanta, July 8.

Stanaland—Lindley

Frances Stanaland, A.B. 1946, to Jack Barnes Lindley of Powder Springs, August 10.

Stroberg—Bowman

Martha Stroberg, Conservatory 1950, to William Lee Bowman of Atlanta, June 4.

Tillman—Hensley

Jean Tillman, 1950, to James C. Hensley of Cobbtown, May 22.

Toole—Michael

Josephine (Riley) Toole, Conservatory 1936, to Col. Clifford Paul Michael, U.S.A. Air Force, of Tacoma, Washington, April 18.

Trulock—Brewer

Alberta Trulock, A.B. 1938, to Carson Brewer of Knoxville, Tenn., May 8.

Trunnell—Whipple

Eleanor Trunnell, B.F.A. 1949, to Allen Hugh Whipple of Perry, in June.

Ward—Gaines

Billie Ward, A.B. 1949, to Sgt. Kenneth L. Gaines of Macon, June 16.

Williamson—Garner

Maude Williamson, B.F.A. 1945, to George Dean Garner, Jr., of Rome and Atlanta, in June.

Wisdom—Ragsdale

Betty Wisdom, 1948, to William Bascom Ragsdale of Ozark, Ala., and Atlanta in the summer.

Wise—Fortson

Margaret Wise, 1945, to Blanton Fortson, Jr., of Atlanta, May 21.

CLUBS

ATLANTA

Frances (Wikle) Whitaker is the new president of the Atlanta Alumnae Club, succeeding Nonie (Acree) Quillian whose term of office expired this year.

Frances has been chairman of Group III of the Atlanta Club, the group which entertained with a tea on May 18 in honor of Annabel Horn, assistant to the president of Wesleyan.

The hospitality committee for the tea was: Ruth (Pike) Key, Julia (Osborne) Withers, Effie (Parker) Aiken, and Myrtice (Harris) Tookey.

Assisting in serving were: Sue (Tanner) McKenzie, Louise (King) Horton, Kathleen (Holder) Griffin, Mary Alice (Robbins) McCord, Helen (McCrary) Randall, Mary (Robeson) Boardman, Nanaline (King) Byrd, Inez (Ellington) Greene, Sara (Noyes) Callaway, and Mary Marvin (James) Twitty.

A number of the Atlanta Club members were present at Commencement, and Nonie (Acree) Quillian gave the report of the club at the dinner for officers, reunioners, and club presidents on Friday night.

Other new officers of the Atlanta Club are: Rosaline (Jenkins) Gilmore and Virginia McJenkin, and Mary Alice McDougall, vice-presidents; Julia (Osborne) Withers, treasurer; Martha (Aiken) Pendergrast, recording secretary; Margaret (Munroe) Thrower, corresponding secretary; and Bessie (Tappan) Farris, registrar.

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COLUMBUS

Anna (Quillian) Janes, '09, the newly elected president of the Columbus Club, succeeded Mary Ann (Mathews) Pease. Anna was elected at the May meeting, which was held at the home of Sarah (Chappell) Carter, the new treasurer.

Other officers chosen were: Mae (Eason) Hall, vice-president; Carol (Simmons) Revell, secretary; Minnie (Smith) Faber, publicity chairman. Chairman of the nominating committee was Woodie (Schley) Campbell.

Mary McKay, Wesleyan field secretary, was a guest at the meeting. A social hour followed the meeting, during which Ina (Dudley) Humes and Weeta (Watts) Mathews served tea, assisted by Sarah Louise (Turner) Butler, Annie Evans (Daniel) Brown, and Rebekah (Oliphant) Anthony.

MACON

Roberta (Jones) Gardiner made the excellent report of the Macon Club to the alumnae at Commencement, telling of the club's gift of \$500 to the Second Century Fund and of four club scholarships and two individual scholarships to Wesleyan by members of the club.

Already plans are under way for the club's work of the coming year. Roberta has had a meeting of leaders at her home, Greenwood Farms, and other meetings to plan the fall bazaar are being called by the vice-president in charge of benefits, Mildred (Goodrum) Heyward.

The Macon Club awarded scholarships to Ouida Mize, Jean Edwards, and Jean Farrar of Miller High School, and Elizabeth Wade was awarded the Pauline Logan Findlay Scholarship.

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TIFTON

The Tifton Alumnae Club, with Eula (Miller) Massey as president, served dinner to representatives of the Valdosta

District of the South Georgia Conference last September, the proceeds enabling the club to send to Wesleyan \$100 to add to the Second Century Fund.

Presiding at the dinner was the Rev. John Sharp, district superintendent. Dr. Silas Johnson made the address, outlining the task of the church in raising funds to help Wesleyan meet its financial obligations and increase its endowment.

Alumnae who assisted in preparing and serving the meal were the president, Eula (Miller) Massey, Harriet (Evans) Southwell, Clare McKellar, Lena (Baker) Bryan, Elizabeth (Padrick) Snelson, Alice (Kent) Hodges, Marion (Padrick) Woodward, Margaret (Toney) Bowen, and Katherine (Rountree) Christian.

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BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

LeVert (Shepherd) Eubanks was present at Commencement from Birmingham to represent this club, of which she was president. LeVert and her daughters, Jean and Eileen, spent the Commencement season with her mother on Laurel Avenue.



Officers of the Macon Junior Wesleyan Alumnae Club were photographed at the home of Julia York where they held the last meeting of the season in May. They are, left to right, seated, Louise Pate, retiring president; Julia, the hostess, and Mary Jo Thompson, treasurer; standing, Jean (Parkins) Heard, secretary, Mary Pate, vice-president and Mae (Daley) Wayne, new president.

CLASS NOTES

1879

Added to the Wesleyan Historical Collection this commencement were three interesting items associated with several generations of former Wesleyan girls. The diploma and commencement composition of the late Jeanne (Villepigue) Smith, and the diploma of her mother, Margaret A. (Armstrong) Villepigue of the class of 1855 were given to Wesleyan by her family after the death of her daughter, Ruth (Smith) Chestney of the class of 1916. Another daughter, Margaret (Smith) Ambler, '08, and two sons survive.

The composition which Jeanne Villepigue read in 1879 is particularly interesting, for she was hazarding "Guesses at What One May See in the Year Nineteen Hundred," and she predicts wonderful strides in science, travel by air and a new invention very like the radio.

1886

Annie (Allen) Johnston is in Franklin, N. C., for the summer with her son.

Annie Belle (Cox) Lanier writes: "I have recovered after a long illness, with three months in the University hospital. I am living in Augusta now with my son and his family, my home in Harlem is rented. My daughter, who has been teaching in Fitzgerald, is with us for a time; she will return there next year. My son has a little son whom we all enjoy. My oldest boy lives here, too. Mary (Curtis) Nunn and I are members of the Bible Class at St. John's Church here."

Stella (Duncan) Cater writes from Perry: "I am grieved that Emma Smith has to undergo such an ordeal as an operation of her eyes. I will be thinking of her through it all; I was sorry to miss Alumnae Day this year, and I returned in memory to my college days. Some day I hope to make a contribution to the Loyalty Fund in memory of Dr. Cosby Smith and his wife, both so kind and good. He was like a father, in that he interpreted the law of love through his understanding of the needs of others. His Thursday night prayer meetings in the old study hall, to which you could go or not as you wished, were deeply spiritual times which bore rich fruit in after years. I recall, too, Prof. Derry, Prof. Glenn, Mrs. Otis, our grand English and history teacher when we were juniors, Miss Lizzie Allen—and oh! many others!"

Elizabeth (Leonard) Hightower of Orlando broke her hip in March and has had special nurses ever since. She will not be

able to try to walk until the latter part of August, and is spending the summer in North Carolina where it is cooler. She says that she is going to try to "keep her feet on the ground" hereafter!

Ada (Murphey) Pound of Athens writes: "I am rather a believer in telepathy for often when I have been thinking of a person more than usual I find that person is thinking of me. That's the way it was when your letter came, for since reading the news item about Annie (Allen) Johnston in the last alumnae magazine, I have been thinking of you and her and others of our class."

In June Emma Smith of Macon came out to Wesleyan to bring messages from her classmates. She was accompanied by her brother, Lovick Smith, who was spending some time with her and her sisters and was planning to take them all for a lovely trip to north Georgia and North Carolina. In July Emma was to go to Atlanta for an operation for cataracts on her eyes.

Annie (Hyer) Coleman has two granddaughters who were sophomores at Wesleyan this past year, and who stayed to commencement to hood their big sisters. Annie had the misfortune to fall down the cellar steps in her home some weeks ago and sprained her back rather badly, and says that about all she can do now is to knit and crochet.

1888

Margaret Cook writes that her sister, Mrs. Florrie Cook White, was eighty years old June 3. She is in spirit as cheery and loving as ever, although very feeble now. She has difficulty in remembering some things, but Wesleyan remains a living reality with her, and any of her old girls or Wesleyan associates can easily be brought to mind. She sends her warmest love to all of her girls, and has asked that a note in the alumnae magazine express her appreciation to all who remember her with cards on special days of the year. The coming of the daily mail is one of her greatest joys. She is cared for tenderly at Wren's Nest, Monteagle, Tennessee, a home for invalids in the mountains.

1889

Minnie (Edwards) Akerman spoke on the history of the Alpha Delta Pi sorority at a Founder's Day tea which was held at the D.A.R. chapter house in Orlando, Fla., in May. The Orlando press carried an interesting write-up of the event along with a picture of Minnie. Re-

cently there was another photograph of her in the papers—she was shown in a group of officers of the Sorosis Club as a past president.

1891

Mary (Bowden) Addy wrote to express her regret that she could not accept Wesleyan's invitation to the class reunion because her spring recital in music conflicted.

Elia (Pound) Currie of Jackson writes: "I deeply regret that I cannot be present for the class reunion. My fondest memories will be with you. I read the magazine from page one to the end each time it comes. Due to heart trouble and arthritis I cannot leave home."

Olive (Wood) Jones' daughter wrote from Savannah: "We wish it were possible for mother to be with you for the reunion, but she has been shut in because of ill health for a year. Just last Sunday she suffered another heart attack and is now confined to her bed. She has three grandchildren graduating this June. Her grandson, Charles McDuffie, from William and Mary College; a granddaughter, Willene McDuffie, from high school in Norfolk, Va.; and my daughter, Ann Dewberry, from high school in Savannah. Charles McDuffie enters Harvard in the fall. She is very proud of her grandchildren and her three great-grandchildren."

1892

Daisy Peddy had a lovely surprise on Valentine's Day this year when two young Wesleyan alumnae of the class of 1948, Hattie Black Baker and Katherine Perryman, now teaching fourth grades in Newnan, went by to present her with a box of Valentine candy. Daisy writes:

"As I catch sight of their fresh young faces passing my door, I am reminded of what a privilege it is to be a 'Wesleyan girl.' Occasionally I see that charming Wesleyanne, Sally Bowen, also, and I am proud of Newnan's present-day students, Helen Johnston, Bobby Joyce Reid, Helen Austin, Roslyn Atkinson, and Margaret Thoroughman whom we also claim, although she spent some years in China."

1893

The Class of '93 will be saddened at the news of the death of Theodosia Tinsley on June 22 at her residence in Macon following a long illness. The daughter of the late Theodosius D. Tinsley and Emma Ragland Tinsley, Theodosia had lived in Macon all of her life with the exception of the time she spent at Madame Le Fevre's School in Baltimore. At Wesleyan she was a member of the Philomathean Society and after her college days ended she became a loyal and devoted alumna.

She taught in the public schools for many years, but did not begin her work until after the death of her father because he was on the school board and she thought it not quite fair under the circumstances. She was a born teacher. Fortunately indeed was the child who had "Miss Theo" as his teacher for in the happy atmosphere of her classroom was reflected her love for children and her interest in their affairs. She knew how to do and say the little things that make daily living more pleasant—pupils learned their book lessons in "Miss Theo's" room, but, more important, they learned the significance of everyday courtesies and amenities through the example set them by their adored teacher. She made special occasions never to be forgotten events and on each child's birthday there was a small white frilled cake for him to take home.

Theodosia was a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church. She was a member of the Georgia Society of Colonial Dames and registrar of the Sidney Lanier chapter of the U.D.C.

Sympathy is extended to her survivors who include her sister, Sarah (Tinsley) Ross, '06, and her niece, Marcella (Tinsley) Ellis, '25.

1894

Lucy (Keen) Johnson has completed another year's teaching in the high school in Gainesville, Georgia. She has had four classes in history this year. Recently she was elected president of the Gainesville Council of Church Women, a responsible position and one for which she is well qualified. Wesleyan alumnae will recall that Lucy (Keen) Johnson came to Wesleyan as a member of the staff when her daughter, Marion Dean, was in public school. Left a widow when Marion Dean was small, she managed so that her daughter received the A.B. degree from Wesleyan in 1930, and held a secretarial position in New York until her marriage to William Gilchrist. A few weeks after her little daughter, Dean, was born, Marion Dean died, and Lucy (Keen) Johnson took over the management of her son-in-law's household and the rearing of the little girl until his marriage some years later. Then she went to make her home in Gainesville where her son lives, and in recent years has gone into the schools of Gainesville as a teacher.

1895

Elmyr (Taylor) Park's son, Orville A. Park, Jr., member of the Federal Bar Association and a delegate from the United Nations League of Lawyers, addressed the Sixth Conference of the Inter-Ameri-

can Bar Association which was held in May in Detroit, Mich. He was also a principal speaker at a dinner for the delegates, along with Vice-President Alben Barkley.

1900

Geraldine (Dessau) Wheeler's son, Prentiss Wheeler, who is with the Civil Intelligence Section of MacArthur's headquarters in Tokyo, recently visited her at her home in Macon, and was accompanied by his charming wife and their two daughters, Geraldine, six, and Rosella, two. They brought news of Louise (Callaway) Griffith's '16, son, Capt. Jack Cutler and of his wife and two-year-old son, "Johnny John," who live quite near them in Japan.

1904

Ella May (Evans) Rogers' son, John Richard, has achieved high honors at the University of Georgia. He was elected to membership in the Honor Court of the Law School, and later he was awarded the highest rank, "Chief Justice of the Honor Court." He was among the ten students in the university chosen for membership in the Blue Key, national honor fraternity. He was graduated in June.

1907

Janie (Johnson) Tinsley's grandson, David Evans, was born on April 9, to her son Carroll and his wife in Florence, S. C. Janie's son is Boy Scout executive in the South Carolina area.

1909

The class of 1909 will be grieved to learn of the death of Charlotte (McRae) Petrey on March 25 after a long illness, the sad news having come from her son, Dr. D. S. Petrey, a practicing dentist in Alexander City, Ala.

1911

Sympathy is extended to Kittie (Bailey) Bailey in the death of her father, Thomas Lee Bailey, Sr., prominent business man of Cochran, Ga., which occurred on April 17. Mr. Bailey published *The Cochran Journal* for more than 25 years and during his 55 years residence in Cochran was active in public affairs, serving for the major portion of that time on the Cochran school board. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Kittie Blevins Bailey; two sons, Blevins Bailey, husband of Annie (Winn) Bailey, '08, and Thomas L. Bailey, Jr., of Peoria, Ill.; two daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Howard, Dunn, N. C., and Kittie Bailey.

1912

Rosalie (Mallory) Willingham's son,

Thomas Slade, married Jean Saunders of Decatur, on June 19. After a honeymoon in Canada, the couple are living in the Twin Pines Apartments in Macon.

1913

Sympathy is extended to Elizabeth (Baker) Taylor and her sisters, Georgia Baker, '17, Lois (Baker) Burghard, '25, and Dorothy (Baker) Sentonan, '28, in the death of their father, Dr. T. H. Baker, formerly of Macon, who died in Samson, Ala., on May 28. Dr. Baker built the brick mansion in Macon which is now occupied by the local chapter of the American Red Cross. He was engaged in the lumber business in Georgia and later in Alabama.

Sympathy is extended to Sarah (Hearn) Garrard in the death of her husband, Dr. J. I. Garrard, at their home in Milledgeville on June 12. Dr. Garrard had been a physician at the State Hospital for the past 40 years. Forming an honorary escort at his funeral were members of the Baldwin County Medical Society, the Milledgeville State Hospital Medical Staff and the Sons of the American Revolution.

1914

Lucile (Flournoy) Truitt had the honor of being named one of the Citizens of the Week in LaGrange during the Kiwanis Club's Citizenship week there. Other alumnae who were selected included Mary (Park) Polhill, '01, and Margaret (Atkinson) Clark, '18, who wrote the Wesleyan Alma Mater which is sung at every commencement.

1915

Margaret (Akerman) Menard writes: "I enclose my check for the Loyalty Fund which is a small acknowledgment of all that Wesleyan has been to me. I have lived in New York for the past 10 years and I find that the Wesleyan Alumnae magazine keeps me posted on what has happened to the 'girls' I knew so well. My mother, Minnie (Edwards) Akerman, '89, lives in Florida and we write each other frequently about some item we have read."

1919

Sarah (Bryan) Dodge's marriage to Fred T. Dodge of Raleigh, N. C., took place at the First Methodist Church in Decatur on February 26.

1920

Rebecca (Caudill) Ayars' son, Jim, graduated with high honors from Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., in June and received a scholarship to Harvard University which he will enter in September.

Ruth (Freeman) Gaulden came up from

her home in Camilla to see her former pupil, Charlotte Williford, receive the B.M. degree in piano. Ruth and Professor Maerz are the only teachers whom Charlotte has ever had. Next year Ruth will be back for commencement to see her own daughter, Carleen, who is a piano major at the Conservatory, get her diploma.

Frances (Solomon) Baskin's son, Billy, was graduated from the University of North Carolina in June with highest honors in French and will return in September to work for his M.A. in French.

1921

Hovie (Ellis) Schofield has a new grandson, Walter Ten Eyck III, her daughter Hazel's son who was born on April 15.

1922

Bruce (Cleckler) Flanders and her husband, now living in Sebring, Florida, are proud of their two daughters, Boots and Jean, who are students at Florida State University. "Boostsie" has recently been elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa, and both have made excellent records in college. Wesleyan alumnae were reminded of them especially this commencement because of the picture which appeared on the Alumnae Day Program showing the late Harry Stillwell Edwards on the steps of the Wesleyan library with a group of little girls who were daughters or granddaughters of alumnae. Two of the children were the little Flanders girls. (The others were Roberta (Jones) James, A.B., '43; Linda Lane; Mary Lane Edwards, A.B. '49, president of the class; Mary McKay, A.B. '49; and "Beppy" Coleman.)

Mary (Wilson) Adams' son, Charlie Roy, was graduated with honor from Fitzgerald High School in May and will enter the University of Georgia in September to prepare for a law career. He was president of the senior class, editor of the high school newspaper and of the 1949 Annual, manager of the state championship football team and a member of the track team, district declaimer and a member of a winning debate team.

1923

Becky (Oliphant) Anthony's many Macon friends are delighted that she and Mack have moved to Macon where he is to be pastor of Vineville Methodist Church, coming from St. Luke's in Columbus. They have many ties in Macon, Mack's father, the late Bascom Anthony, having served as pastor of Vineville Church, and Becky's father, the late G. F. Oliphant, having had a Sunday School class there while he was superintendent of the Georgia Academy for the Blind.

The Anthonys have three sons, "Micky," "Buddy Bascom," and "Jimmy," and Becky's sister, Mary Lee (Oliphant) Brown, A.B. '09, makes her home with them.

Frances (Whiteside) Feagin's daughter, Jean, was married in June to Charles Richard Johnson of Macon.

1924

Jeannette Anderson, teaching in Brunswick, wrote that she would be unable to come because school would not be out by that time.

Carribel (Arnall) Akin of Atlanta sent her regrets. She was still teaching in the Atlanta schools on June 3.

Alice (Aven) Stratton wrote from Malden, Mass.: "Wish I could be in Macon for reunion, but I seem to be going in the other direction. I collect my son Carter, from the Peddie School in New Jersey and my daughter, Sylvia, from Denison University in Granville, Ohio, and we will drive to Kalamazoo, Michigan, to see the college there confer a Doctor of Divinity degree on the head of our family as he returns from the Northern Baptist Convention in San Francisco. This adds a D.D. to his Th.D. I have no claims to distinction,—just a preacher's wife with all that means, and a very improper Bostonian among all the proper ones."

Helen (Blanton) Cherry, Tarboro, N. C., writes: "I regret that I will be unable to accept your invitation to tea on June 4. I would dearly love to meet with all the 'old ladies' whom I knew once upon a time. Remember me with love to all who remember me."

Kathleen (Bardwell) Noble, living now at 401 University Park, Rochestre, N. Y., wrote rhyming acrostic spelling "Wesleyan" to tell the class that she would not be able to come for the reunion.

Mabel (Bond) Milton of Waycross was left a widow three years ago with three daughters. One has great hopes of becoming a doctor, another is majoring in radio at Wesleyan Conservatory, and the third is in junior high. Mabel teaches English in high school, teaches a class of women in Sunday School, and is in the church choir.

Ruby (Broadhurst) Riggins of Jesup sent her greetings and regrets.

Sympathy is extended to Honorine (Bollinger) VanZant in the death of her father, Mr. Robert A. Bollinger, on May 3 in Macon.

Louise (Clark) Risley is visiting in Georgia this summer for the first time in about four years. She arrived from Eugene, Oregon in July to spend some time with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Clark in Jonesboro. Dr. Risley is head

of the biology department of the University of Oregon.

Aurelia (Cooper) Evans of Perry has written that she would be here, and then at the last minute came a telegram saying that illness in her family prevented. Later she wrote that her young daughter had recovered, but "when you have only one, you get pretty worried when she is sick."

Marion (Cooper) Fesperman of Waycross could not come to reunion because she was expecting her son home that day from Presbyterian College in Clinton, South Carolina.

Catherine Craig, teaching in Lakeland High School, wrote: "On the night of June 3 I will be in charge of the kitchen for the junior-senior reception, 750 guests! You would enjoy our activities. Our reception theme is 'underseas castles.' We have divers' outfits, yards of seines studded with sequins; our waitresses are mermaids."

Anna (Crittenden) Lumpkin of Shellman sent her regrets, and says she is always eager for news of the class in the magazine.

Lucy (Cunyas) Mulcahy writes from 2905 Penn Ave. S.E., Washington, D. C.: "How I wish I could be there for the class reunion! My only consolation is that on that same date we are having a Washington Club luncheon and I can 'play like' it's part of the celebration I am missing. I should certainly feel at home on Hines Terrace. What has become of Carolyn Fulghum? I had Lucia (Sammons) Green in for tea in January. I enjoy the Wesleyan club here, and my niece, Dorothy Ann (Pim) Roth."

Anne (Douglas) Wallace of Madison wrote that she hated to miss the reunion, but her husband had been for two weeks at Piedmont Hospital, and although almost well was still on a diet. Anne's two daughters, Adelaide and Anne, are Wesleyanians.

Billie (Fincher) Hendon of Jackson Heights, N. Y., says that she was disappointed to miss the class reunion, but had spent six months in Georgia last year in the hospital, and had promised her husband she would not ask to go to Georgia again soon.

A message came to Wesleyan from Carolyn (Fulghum) McCord through her mother, who lives on Hines Terrace in Macon. Carolyn is living now in Tulsa, Oklahoma, where she and Fletcher are both teaching in the university. Young Fletcher enjoys living in the city, more, says Caroline, than his father and mother do!

Abba Joe Gordon wrote from Lawrenceville: "Ruby Tanner and I have been

mulling it over in our minds about coming to the reunion, and now it seems we can't manage it though we would thoroughly enjoy it. I'm still with the 'Distress Department.' Since 1944 I have been Director of the Gwinnett County Department of Public Welfare and am located in Lawrenceville. The work is interesting and varied, never a dull moment. There are seven other workers on my staff. With me 'vacation' is an obsolete word in the dictionary. I just take a day of annual leave now and then. Ruby and I have good times together. She and her family have certainly contributed toward making my living here pleasant."

Marjorie (Gugel) Key was with the class for reunion, proudly showing pictures of her daughter, Marjorie (a Wesleyan alumna), her two sons, and a little red-haired granddaughter, Valerie.

Elizabeth (Hackett) Knox of Gray, who was present for commencement, has a daughter, Betty, who is a junior in high school, a daughter, Allyce, a sophomore, and Billie, three years old.

Lessie Mae (Hall) Stone and her young son, John, were in Macon for the class reunion. Lessie Mae and her husband both teach at Huntingdon College in Montgomery, where Christine (Quillian) Searcy's husband is president.

Arline Harris, who has a position with Haas and Dodd Company in Atlanta, had planned to be at Wesleyan for Commencement, and on June 3 there came a letter from her saying: "Margaret Richards, Roline (Trimble) Boyle, Colleen (Sharp) Davis, and I had reservations for the dinner and the luncheon. Now Margaret is in the hospital, Colleen's son was burned last night when he was cleaning his motor bike with gasoline and it exploded, and Roline's son has just had a wisdom tooth out in the hospital—and I just don't have the heart to make the trip alone. I'm sick over it; I could go on and on with regrets—but we hope to have another chance." (However, at the last minute, Roline and Colleen managed to get here after all!)

Vinnie Sue (Hicks) Thompson, Jackson, Miss., writes that she has two married daughters and one grandson. Her son is twelve years old.

Ruth (Holden) Lundy and her family live now in Cairo, Ga., after having been on the Pacific coast during the war years when her husband was in the service. Her eighteen-year-old daughter will be a sophomore at Wesleyan in the fall, and her son, fifteen, is a leader in high school and has been an Eagle Scout for a year.

Ellen (Hunt) Pope wrote to say that she wishes she might be present, and to

send her good wishes to all of the class.

Bernice (Hurst) Blakely of Chester, S. C., wrote that she was so sorry to miss the reunion, but her daughter, Carolyn, was graduating from high school at the same time. Carolyn enters Wesleyan in the fall, having won the \$800 competitive scholarship in the spring!

Madge (Jenkins) McLawhorn of Winterville, N. C., wrote: "After 23 years of needing a house, we're at last building one, and it looks as though we'll be moving in about the last of May or first of June. I have a little bit of Georgia here in North Carolina, for my brother, Charlie, who lives in Atlanta, is the architect and I have a typical Georgia colonial plan. My latch string is always out to any of you who come this way."

Ouida (Johnson) Ward, 1336 Missouri Ave. N.W., Washington, D. C., writes: "How I'd love to be there June 3 and 4! But this is our busiest season for we have to release shortly at least one volume of Foreign Relations and two of German Documents."

Leah Kittrell has been busy recently introducing a new doctor to the Dublin community to succeed her father, whose sudden death in the spring was a great shock to Leah.

Allene Lokey has been teaching first grade in Sardis, Ga., for the past five years. She wrote that she regretted missing the commencement festivities.

Elizabeth (Maddox) Greene of Columbus wrote that she could think of nothing she would rather do than to come back for the reunion, but found it impossible!

Elizabeth Malone wrote after her return to Jonesboro, Arkansas: "A week ago today I was on my way to Georgia for the reunion. What a lovely time we had! I enjoyed every minute."

Olive Dent (Manget) Bramblett of Griffin had a child graduating from high school at the same time as the reunion, and could not come back.

Mary Miller, who now has her own travel agency in Brunswick, was back with bells on, and saved the day when the first vice-president, Mary Dudley (Fort) Colley was unable to come at the last minute, by introducing Billy Quillian, Alumnae Day speaker. Mary did a fine job of it, for, besides telling of all the degrees he has, etc., she remembered some amusing things about him as a small boy on the campus.

Ora Mizell writes from Tampa, Fla.: "I wish I could come, but suppose I shall have to remember the last time I was at Wesleyan, last February when it was announced that Mr. Porter was giving the money for the new chapel building."

Jennie May (Mobley) Wood, living now in Miami, Florida, wrote that she found it impossible to come to Wesleyan for the reunion.

LaNelle (Mobley) Hargrove of Sanford, N. C., writes that her daughter was married on March 19 to a young navy doctor. She also has a fifteen-year-old son.

Guill (Montfort) Jackson says that she recently moved into a new house in Cartersville, and she is in the throes of yard work. Also, she says, her "two Franks" expect to be fed regularly!

Julia Newton wrote: "Although this is a busy time of the year for teachers, I had thought I could take off for the Silver Anniversary, and wrote Audrey (Jenkins) Garrard to come with me, but she has a play coming off June 3. Then I wrote LaNelle (Mobley) Hargrove, but school isn't out in N. C. So it isn't 'in the stars' for me to be there!"

Rosalie (Radford) Stillwell had the whole crowd out to her house on Briarcliff Road in Macon after the dinner Friday night for a "bull session." Rosalie's husband is in the music department at Davison's in Macon. Her daughter, Julia, graduated from grammar school this year, and she has a little son, Warren, Jr.

Willie (Rich) Logan of Elberton had to miss the reunion because her daughter was completing work at the University of Georgia.

Margaret Richards was the moving spirit of the 1924 reunion, wrote a very cute note to all the class urging them to come—and then was in Piedmont Hospital when the time came to go! She sent a telegram of greeting to the class, and had one from the group who assembled at Eunice Thomson's on Saturday afternoon. For some time she had had an unexplained pain in one shoulder, and hoped the X-rays and tests made in the hospital could uncover the cause. As the magazine goes to press she is about to take off to a house party at Hattie (Branch) Sibley's in Lyons, N. Y., so we know she's better!

Helen (Ridley) Smith of Manchester wrote that her daughter and only child, Helen Harris, is a sophomore at the University of Georgia this year.

Lucia (Sammons) Green of Orangeburg, S. C., writes: "I would love to see you all again! I've seen so few these last 25 years that I thought our daughter was perhaps right when she decided to go to school in the state. She will graduate at Converse next year, and has just come in with guests for a friend's wedding next Saturday so I won't be able to leave. Jimmy is graduating from high school Monday. I had lunch with Mary Lucy

(Nowell) Reeves in Manning last week. She has a lovely daughter, an attractive husband, and a beautiful home. We both wish we could come. I went to a party at Lucy (Cunus) Mulcahy's in Washington this winter and enjoyed her and her mother so much."

Ethelene Sampley, director of religious activities at the coordinate college of Duke University, said that commencement there, as well as the graduation of her oldest nephew kept her away.

Eddie Bell (Smith) Pierce sent her greetings from College Park, Georgia.

Roxie (Stevens) Arrington of Ellaville wrote that her six-year-old son's tonsil operation would keep her from coming to Wesleyan for reunion.

Eileen Surrency, teaching in Surrency, Ga., regretted that the closing of her school kept her from coming.

Ida (Timberlake) Bryan writes from Fort Richardson, Alaska: "You have my new address correct almost before I am accustomed to it myself! My 23 years as an army wife have taken me to many far away places, but I am sure none of them gave me more varied or exciting experiences than this two year tour in America's last frontier promises to give. Alaska is really beautiful!"

Margaret (Vincent) Smith's card of regret came from Norfolk, Virginia, where her husband is stationed now at the naval base.

1925

Hattie (Branch) Sibley's son, Lewis B. Sibley, is a freshman at Ohio Wesleyan University, where he has a National Methodist Scholarship for "outstanding work in Lyons Central High School and for his activities in the Lyons Methodist Church." Lewis is taking a pre-engineering course preparatory to attending M.I.T. and plans to complete both the A.B. and engineering degrees in five years.

Alice (Kent) Hodges' daughter, Jackie, is director of a band of 46 students in the Camilla High School, which she organized in six months time. Recently every member of the band was awarded a certificate of merit at the Moultrie music festival.

Eunice Thomson's father, the Rev. Thomas H. Thomson, retired from the active ministry in June after 54 years in the South Georgia Conference. He began his preaching career at nineteen, after graduation from Emory, and has served the charge in Reidsville for the past nine years. He and Mrs. Thomson will make their home in Reidsville where he has bought the old parsonage, the church there having recently bought a new one.

During the conference session the Columbus newspaper carried a story about three "old-timers," Mr. Thomson, Mr. Jim Smith (the father of Beulah (Smith) Jelks, '20, Margaret (Smith) Weaver, '22, and Mary (Smith) McWilliams, '23) and Mr. C. W. Curry who have served a total altogether of 125 years as secretaries of the conference!

1926

In May a note came from Ethel (Rosenberg) Bass of Orlando, Fla., saying: "Surprise! I am now a Grandma; Mr. and Mrs. John S. Burris of Houston, Texas, have a son, John S., Jr. Isn't this the first grandchild of a member of the class of '26?"

Sympathy is extended to Anna (Weaver) Lee in the death of her brother, Jack N. Weaver, in a Macon hospital on May 10 after a long illness.

1927

Frances (Bush) Brubaker is a teacher in the Macon school system, having moved to Macon to live after the death of her husband several years ago. She has three children, and in addition to her teaching, looks after them and does all her own house work, so she says her hands are more than full!

Miriam (Carter) Wright and her husband have moved from Columbus to Macon. They are living at 2504 Delaware Avenue.

Mary Lou (Cate) Clarke sent her regrets at not being able to join her classmates and enclosed a contribution to be used toward the Phi Delta Phi scholarship. Mary Lou has four children, Mary Lou, John, Bonnie and Frances. "I hope that Bonnie, aged 10, who is especially talented in music will enter Wesleyan Conservatory some day," she writes. "If you or any other members of the Wesleyan family ever get to Richmond, please get in touch with me so that we can have you in our home." Her address is 3905 Seminary Avenue, Richmond 22, Va.

Three wide-awake teen-agers from Ft. Valley High School were at Wesleyan for the May Day festivities and came by the Alumnae Office to introduce themselves as: Mary and Beth Mathews, twin daughters of Evelyn (Gibson) Mathews, '27, and Montie Hatcher, granddaughter of Margaret (Plant) Hatcher, '98 and niece of Margaret Hatcher, '31.

Marguerite (Miller) Herndon's new address is Route No. 6, Macon. Her husband, who was for the past six years superintendent of the Georgia Academy for the Blind in Macon has received high praise for his work there from students, teachers, and various groups, including

the Bibb County Grand Jury. Mr. Herndon accompanied the chorus of the Academy to the Lions International convention in New York City in July.

1929

Bernice (Bassett) Almand writes from Pompano Beach, Fla.: "I wish I could come to the reunion, but we are right in the midst of the season of Florida Methodist Conference. We feel that we will return to this charge next year, and that is wonderful to us, as two years in one place is an experience we have had only once before. We had nine years of promotion-transfer with the C.I.T. Corporation; then we transferred ourselves to the ministry, Alabama, then Massachusetts (where Ashton got seminary training at Boston University and had a student charge in Maine), then to Miami for a year and a half as associate at the downtown 'tourists church,' White Temple, and then here. This is a rapidly growing community and a lovely church. We are happy and very busy. June 4 is an important date for us, the birthday of our three-year-old adopted daughter, Ann."

Martha (Benton) Clark of Atlanta writes that her fifteen-year-old daughter, Martha, has her eye on Wesleyan. Martha spent several days at Wesleyan during a conference a few years ago and enjoyed it so much that she determined to come back for the next class reunion, but found she could not make it!

Allene (Brown) Bowen says a nine-year-old son and a four-year-old daughter are busy educating her!

Virginia (Bull) Dillard of Huntington, W. Va., writes that she and her family are back at Marshall College since the war. Conley Hall, Jr., her son, is two years old and Carol Gay, four. Virginia has served on the Board of the A.A.U.W. in her home, and has been chairman of the International Relations Committee.

Jean Davidson of Augusta wrote that she wished it were possible for her to come for reunion, but she found it impossible to leave her work.

Elizabeth (Coleman) Snelling wrote: "So sorry to miss our reunion. We hope to have our nine-year-old Julianne a Wesleyanne before too many years. She is very musical. My husband, Dr. Albert Snelling, is the son of the late Chancellor Charles M. Snelling of the University of Georgia, and of Matilda (Morton) Snelling, '84. We live in Knoxville, Tenn., and enjoy frequent trips to the Smokies."

Merk Eula (Crow) Vandiver of Decatur writes: "The steak supper sounds wonderful, but my two daughters finish up their school activities on June 6, so I

shall have to miss it. Frances, my seven-teen-year-old, is at Agnes Scott since we live in Decatur, and Carolyn, eleven, is in the fifth grade."

Rebecca (Davis) Moss wrote from her home in Newark, N. J., 407 Mt. Prospect Ave., to send her best wishes to the class.

Bessie Will (Elrod) Unger of Westminster, Maryland, has been 'Den Mother' for the Cub Scouts of which both her sons are members. She is chairman of a speaker's committee of Carroll County Women's Democratic Organization, and is active in the Episcopal Church. She enjoys Betty (Bragg) Sturdivant and her lovely family, and occasionally sees Mary Alma (Cobb) Stevens and Ouida (McCullough) Franklin.

Marion Faircloth writes from Savannah: "Say hello to everyone for me. I will be in New York on a buying trip that day. I buy all ladies' accessories for Hogan's store here."

Helen Kate (Forrester) Perry of Soperton sent this news of her family: she has a little boy Ralph, who is four years old, and a little daughter, Janice, two, who she hopes, will also be a devoted Wesleyanne some day.

Elizabeth (Fort) Jenkins wrote that she regretted very much not being able to be present for the reunion and steak supper.

Elizabeth (Gill) Blalock, Moultrie, wrote all of her class about the reunion, and then at the last minute was unable to come herself because of illness in her family! A telegram came from her with best wishes for the others. Elizabeth's family consists of B. B., her husband; Charles, 14; Betty, 11; and Bebe 9. She says there is never a dull moment. Just to give you an idea—Bebe fell on an acting bar last fall and broke her elbow. While they were in Atlanta with her, Charles fell and broke his leg, and they had two under specialists at once! Elizabeth took Betty along when they went to the doctor just as a precaution.

Helen (Goodman) Smith of Lake Worth, Fla., writes: "I only wish I could come; have lost contact with most of my classmates. My husband is a funeral director and we have two children, a girl 11 and a boy 9."

Katherine (Gordy) Banks of Barnesville has been married almost 17 years, and has two children, Leila Ellen, 14, and Peter, 10.

Helen (Granade) Long of Milledgeville, Conservatory, sent her regrets.

Elizabeth B. Jones writes: "How much I enjoyed everything at our reunion! You Macon girls certainly were nice to entertain us so royally at Katherine's sweet

country place. You know that there's just something about Wesleyan that one never forgets—although I was only at Wesleyan a year you couldn't find anyone more loyal to the College than I am."

Martha (Lamar) Morrison of Valdosta, writes: "I wish I could be with you, but we are in the midst of moving from Valdosta to Thomasville where Joe is being transferred with the Southern Bell. He has gone and the offsprings and I will go if and when we can get a place to live there."

Nelle Lee of Statesboro teaches music in one of the county schools a few miles from home. She says she "writes a little," and has had poems published in several anthologies.

Helen (Lowe) Smith wrote when she returned to Neptune Beach, Fla., after the reunion: "None of us '29'ers will ever forget Sara Lamon's wonderful hospitality. It was our chief topic of conversation while there. If all reunion classes had as much fun as we did, the college would go bankrupt because attendance would be 100%."

Eleanor (McDonald) Elsas wired the class from Atlanta: "My love and special greetings. I'm sorry to miss exclaiming over photographs of grown chillun and youthful mamas. Too bad I can't compete in that department, but I'll bet on my grey head against any one of you. I'm truly disappointed that my new business keeps me away from this reunion."

Sarah (McRee) Joiner sent her regrets from her home in Cairo, Ga.

Louise (Melton) Thompson could not be with the class for their reunion because June 4 was her wedding anniversary. She is president of the Tattnall Square Garden Club, vice-president of the Macon Federated Music Club, and president of the Wesleyan Service Guild at Mulberry Church. She also works half time as secretary to a lawyer, and looks after her home and husband.

Gladys (Moss) Powers of Calhoun said she would have been at Wesleyan for the reunion but had promised to go to Dahlonga to see her nephew graduate. Gladys has an attractive young daughter who is planning to come to Wesleyan.

Estelle (Perkins) Heard of Elberton writes that she has one child, Estelle, age seven, who is already headed for Wesleyan.

Elizabeth (Poole) Corley writes: "This is my 19th year in Auburndale, Fla., as librarian and teacher of social studies. I am senior sponsor which entails a lot of extra activities. I was quite flattered this year when the annual was dedicated to me. My husband has been ill for the past

two years, but is better now."

Harriet (Prater) Kettles of Dalton wrote: "I will try to be with you Saturday. My daughter, Jean, will enter Wesleyan this fall."

Mary Reeves is librarian in Soperton high school, and will complete her course at Emory Library School this summer.

Word comes from Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., where Lillian Sears teaches in the high school, that the May Day pageant which she directed there this year was a tremendous success. Early in the spring Lillian wrote to the alumnae office asking if she might use the script of the Wesleyan May Day program of 1948 and this formed the basis of her production. She was sponsor of the senior class of the Ft. Lauderdale school.

Eugenia (Smith) Davis was unable to be present for reunion for she left on June 1 for Jekyll Island to be recreational director of the hotel there.

Allie (Stephens) Reynolds of Atlanta has been librarian at Washington Seminary this year, and will be there again next year. She has two sons, Dudley, Jr., 15, and Edward, 9.

Marie (Weldon) Futral of Griffin sent her regrets. She has just moved into a new home on Crescent Road.

Moye (Williams) Moore, Hatcher, Ga., writes, "I am postmaster of a small post office and my husband and I own a store and raise cattle, so I shall not be able to get away this time."

Mary (Winn) Harris sent her regrets from Cordele, Ga.

Cecelia Wright of Atlanta writes that she has been working for the past ten years for the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company. She sent a recent snapshot of herself, taken at her brother's home on Lake Jackson, and she looks no older than she did when she left Wesleyan!

1931

Frances Cleveland is now Mrs. Grey Hillsman and lives at 1807 St. Mary, Jackson, Miss.

Sympathy is extended to Eugenia (Coleman) Wasden in the death of her father, Samuel Taylor Coleman, Sr., after a long illness. Mr. Coleman was a widely-known Macon businessman, and until the time of his illness was president of the Cherokee Brick and Tile Company and of the Coleman, Meadows and Pate Drug Company. He was a life-long resident of Macon, was a member of Christ Episcopal Church and on the board of the Appleton Church Home. He and his wife, the late Edith (Stetson) Coleman, were benefactors of Wesleyan and took a keen interest in all of its affairs. He is survived by one sister, one brother, and two sons, besides the daughter mentioned.

1932

Mary E. Clark walked off with two prizes at the Georgia Writers' Association conference which was held in Oxford in June—her radio script won the first prize and a check for \$50, and her article on "Thrift in Home Ownership" was awarded second place. Mary is librarian at North Fulton High School in Atlanta.

Gladys (Leavitt) Prior has a baby son, Roger Wolcott who was born January 28.

Frances (Luke) Moye has recently moved into an attractive new home on Meeks Terrace in Thomaston. She has an adorable little three-year-old daughter, Marcia Ann. Frances' husband owns and manages the Tri-City Furniture Company.

Marjorie (Mitchell) Jones has been elected president of the Junior Army-Navy Guild Organization in Washington, D. C., where she and her husband, Lt. Col. W. H. H. Jones, have been stationed for the past three years. She was the subject of an article in the Washington Post in April, "Busy, Talented Marjorie Jones Tackles Another Project," and was photographed seated at a piano surrounded by a group of nursery school youngsters, her class in singing and rhythmic. Marjorie has two children, Betsy, 9, and Faris, 8.

Lillian (Pafford) Tate lives now in Mobile, at 132 Moffatt Rd. She has two sons, seven and four years of age.

Marjorie Watson, who has been teaching Spanish in the Greenville, S. C., senior high school, has been appointed Spanish instructor at Kalamazoo College. After graduating from Wesleyan, Marjorie held an assistantship in Spanish at Duke University where she received her M.A. degree, and she has also studied the language at Furman University and Middlebury Spanish School.

1933

Sympathy is extended to Doris (Batey) Cox in the sudden death of her husband, Lamar Patterson Cox, in Washington, D. C., on April 24. A lawyer by profession, Mr. Cox was secretary to his father, Representative Eugene E. Cox. Other survivors include their 13-year-old son, Eugene, and two sisters, Mary Bennett (Cox) Dunwody, '25, and Mrs. Roland B. Anderson of Lima, Peru.

Thelma (Herndon) Holman has a baby son, born May 16 and named Norman Willard Holman, Jr.

Modena (McPherson) Rudisill has two charming future Wesleyannes—Modena, 9, and Elizabeth, 5. They live in Rome where her husband is pastor of the First Methodist Church.

1934

Sympathy is extended to Juanita (Stokes) Black in the death of her father, Thomas W. Stokes at his residence in Macon on June 19. Mr. Stokes had operated the Stokes Realty Company in Macon for 36 years. He was a steward of the Vineville Methodist Church and a member and former officer of the George S. Jones Bible Class there. The members of these bodies formed an honorary escort at his funeral which was held at the Vineville Church. His survivors include Juanita's mother, the former Miss Mary McKenzie.

Margaret Godley has recently written, in collaboration with Lillian Chaplin Bragg, a booklet, "Stories of Old Savannah," a copy of which was sent to the Wesleyan library by her sister, Sara (Godley) Edwards, '30.

Julia (Munroe) Woodward's children are: Bobby, 16; Pat, 12; Mary Margaret, 10; Judy, 8; Elizabeth, 5; and Susan Gray, born November 6, 1948.

1936

Nida (McGehee) Ferrell lives in Dublin where her husband is a practicing physician. Their three children are 11-year-old Bobbie, who has spent the past three summers at Carolina camp in Brevard, N. C.; Nida, 9, and Mary Jane, 2. Nida's growing family has caused her to build an addition to her charming home.

Mary Ann (Peacock) Powell writes from her home in Blakely: "Our future Wesleyanne arrived on May 11 and we named her Laurie Lee. We have two other children, John 6½, and Paul 2½."

Alley (Pendergrass) Cook sends her check for the Loyalty Fund and writes: "We have been in Lynchburg, Va., for more than a year now where my husband is post office inspector. We have a new daughter born Jan. 23 and named Marcia Alley Cook—our other daughter, Nancy, is seven.

"How I wish for more news from members of our class! I keep in touch with several and would like to know where more of my classmates are living. I had such a nice visit with Alice (Ray) Stebbins two summers ago when we were at St. Simon's, our first meeting since graduation. She lives in Darien where she teaches.

"It has been good to see Marybeth (Jones) Leach, '39, and Anne (Comolli) Warren, '40—they are both living in Lynchburg, too."

Mildred (Shirah) Kight writes: "Our new address is Perry, Ga. Since we came here a month ago I have seen several Wesleyan friends. Caroline (Nunn)

Brown, '38, brought her little girl, Jan, when she visited me. She and my two girls, Anne and Leila, enjoy playing together and seeing each other at Sunday School."

1937

Edith Bates is now Mrs. V. L. Watson and lives on King Street in Quincy, Fla.

1938

Hanson (Hayes) Higgenbotham has four children, Sandy, aged nine, Susan, 6, Sally 4, and Ann, 2. Hanson has recently moved into a new home, a large English-type house with five bedrooms—"Enough room for company." She says that she enjoyed the May magazine, but thinks that 1938 is a poor corresponding class! Her address is 187 La Vereda Road, Pasadena 2, Calif.

1939

Martha (Graddy) Pitts' husband was named Farmer of the Month for June by the Macon Telegraph and News which published pictures of them, their two attractive children, Carol and Alfred, Jr., and their farm in Jones County.

Frances (Staley) Hardin has a little daughter, Martha Jean, who was born in April.

Arline (Taylor) Slack has a young son, William Pratt, born January 23.

1940

Lewis Lipps received her Master of Science degree in biology from Emory on June 3. This summer she has been teaching in summer school at Shorter. Shorter is cooperating in an experiment which combines regular academic work with closely correlated workshop follow-up for teachers. Her courses are in human biology, and she writes that she is having a remarkably good time in spite of the heat and the load of work. Lewis attended the Southeastern Biologists Meetings this year, and also the science meetings of the Georgia Academy of Science.

Ida (Stephens) Williams has her third "future Wesleyanne," Martha Mason Williams, who arrived April 11. The baby is the granddaughter of Lucy (Evans) Stephens, 1898.

1941

Randall (Adams) Huckabee's portrait, painted by J. P. Holmes, Jr., husband of Frances (Bush) Holmes, '44, attracted much favorable attention when it was exhibited at the Macon Art Association's annual show in June.

Jeanne (Cousins) Parry's mother-in-law flew over from England this spring

to spend Mother's Day with Jeanne, her husband, and her mother.

Frances (Jones) Duskin has a second daughter and third child, Jane Collier, born May 5.

1942

Geraldine (Hubbard) Speer and her family have recently moved from Troy, Ala., to Macon where they are living in the Brookwood Apartments. Her husband is in the peanut brokerage business and their two attractive daughters are Julie, 5, and Sharon, 14 months.

Janet (Sorenson) Cowgill's little son, Johnny, was three years old May 23. Her husband is attending the Air Commands School in Montgomery, Ala.

1943

Mary (Anderson) Comer's son, John Drewry, Jr., was born May 2 and her husband received his degree in law at the University of Georgia in June with cum laude honors! There is nowhere a prouder grandmother than Annie (Gantt) Anderson, A.B. '13.

Anne (Devereaux) Potts has a little daughter, Susan Vandivere, who was born on May 6.

Announcement of the birth of Roberta (Jones) James' second son on June 2 was made at the annual Alumnae Day meeting where her report as retiring third vice-president was read by Virginia Anderson. The new baby has been named Charles Baxter for Roberta's father.

1944

Patricia (Childs) Solomon, who was president of her class when she graduated from Miller High School in Macon in 1939, presided at the ten-year reunion of that class on June 10, when a dinner was held in the high school cafeteria.

Nell (McGehee) Moreen lives in Brunswick and has a secretarial position at the Glynnco Naval Air Base.

Elizabeth (Rycroft) Wood's little son was born May 3 and has been named Rabun M. Wood, III. Elizabeth lives at 66-B Elizabeth Road, Hampton, Virginia.

1945

Louise (Avera) Peterson received her B.S. degree in pharmacy in June from the University of Georgia with her husband, C. W. Peterson.

Eugenia (Ethridge) Falk and her husband, Leo Falk, both graduated on June 9 from Long Island College of Medicine and both young doctors will go to Charlottesville, Va., where they will intern at the University of Virginia Hospital.

Betty Ann (Hotaling) Bland's little

ville, Fla., writes: "Thank you for sending me the copy of The Wesleyan Alumnae on whose memorial roll appears the name of our daughter, Virginia (Johnson) Mathews. Mere words are inadequate to convey how much Wesleyan meant to her. She often spoke of it and was grateful for having had the privilege of attending such a splendid school. Virginia suffered greatly during her 10 months' illness, but was always cheerful and courageous. She never knew the seriousness of her illness, but often mentioned 'being ready to meet my God and Master'."

Gertha (Puryear) Holmes has a son, Henry Willis Holmes, born May 29. The announcement cards were unusual, printed like a theatre ticket with the words: "Gertha and Louis Holmes present 'Little Brother,' that new sensation, starring Henry Willis Holmes."

Lellen Rice renewed friendships with several Wesleyan friends when she came down in June from her home in Salem, Va., to be a bridesmaid in Maude Williamson's wedding on St. Simons Island, later visiting her aunt Mrs. George Stelljes in Macon. Lellen does secretarial work in the law department of the State of Virginia, but finds time for such interesting hobbies as photography and riding.

Carol (Watson) Yeagan lives in Atlanta at 1415 La Vista Road, N. E. Her son, Byron Lanier Bland III, was born on April 18.

Betsy (Johnson) Carter has developed a fascinating and profitable hobby, that of making earrings from tiny sea shells and fish scales. She fashioned them at first for herself and friends, but later began to sell them through a costume jewelry shop in Baltimore where she lives. Recently she and her husband, Reed, and their attractive son, Clark, were in Macon for a visit with her parents.

Mrs. H. Grady Mathews of Jackson-

husband is a housestaff physician at Crawford Long Hospital and their little son will soon be two years old.

Martha Ann (White) Cliett has a son, Matthew White Cliett, who was born May 14.

1946

Emily Bell writes: "Having been in Atlanta this past fall and spring, I am now back in Mobile.

I am doing radio work with WKAB and have a woman's program for a half hour each week day, titled 'Emily's Hour.' During the coming year I will work as assistant to the chairman of the Radio and Children's Theatre Board in the Junior League. My main outside interest is, of course, the Joe Jefferson Players, our little theatre which will begin its third year in September.

Louise Pate, formerly assistant to the Dean of Women at Wesleyan, who has resigned to be married in the fall, was presented with a handsome silver mounted crystal pitcher coaster by the Macon Junior Alumnae Club at the close of her term as president. She is spending this summer studying at Columbia University, where she will receive her M.A. degree in Personnel Administration. Her sister, Mary, A.B. 1948, is working toward her M.A. in speech science at Columbia also.

Joyce (Gallagher) Pate lives in Dalton. Her little son, born May 1, is named Patrick Jefferson Pate III.

Kathleen (Hogan) Decker has a son, James Marshall, born May 22 in Wynnewood, Penn.

1947

Rosalind (Allison) Burns has moved from Augusta and is now living in Atlanta at 3435 Ivy Road, N.E.

Mary Frances (Birrick) Johnson won many valuable prizes on the "Go for the House" program when that show was

Wesleyan Restored to Approved List of A.A.W.W.

Wesleyan has been restored to the list of approved colleges by the A.A.U.W., according to a telegram received in June by President Silas Johnson from the convention of this organization in California.

broadcast from Macon in June. Despite her total blindness, Mary Frances leads a happy useful life, holding a full time job as the operator of a concession in the Macon City Hall.

Virginia Der Garry is serving as secretary to U. S. Ambassador Herman Baruch at The Hague, Netherlands, having gone over in April. Previously she had worked in the State department's foreign service selection group in Washington, D. C.

Louise (McGehee) Frank has a baby son, born May 13, who has been named Edwin Henry Frank III. She is now living in Houston where her husband practices law with his uncle, Harold Crawford, and teaches in the University of Houston law school. Last year while they were living in Austin and Edwin was completing his law study at the University of Texas, Louise attended classes too, studying interior decorating, Spanish, and other subjects which interested her. Her address is 6205 Tierwester Road, Riverside, Houston 4, Texas.

Sympathy is extended to Gloria

(Thornton) Orr on the death of her infant son.

When Betty Turner, daughter of Mr. Don Abbott Turner, Wesleyan trustee, and Mrs. Turner, was married to Lovick Pierce Corn, son of Pauline (Pierce) Corn, '18, at St. Luke's Methodist Church in Columbus on May 20, a large group of alumnae and other Wesleyan friends were present. Betty's matron of honor was her sister, Sarah Louise (Turner) Butler, '41, and two of her bridesmaids were Mary Sue Butler, '48, and Annie Anderson, '48, who, like the bride, had been May Queen at Wesleyan. Sarah Louise's little daughter, Betty, had been chosen for flower girl, but was sick and had to miss the wedding. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mack Anthony, husband of Rebekah (Oliphant) Anthony, '23.

Adeline (Wood) Wilkes lives in Adel, Ga., where her husband is engaged in business with his father.

Betty Jane Wheeler is studying at the University of Georgia this summer.

1948

Peggy Beeson received her Master's degree from Emory University in June and will enter the University of Texas next month to work toward her doctorate.

Lucy (Bushnell) Lunsford has a little daughter, Katherine Elizabeth, born June 7.

Betty Buzzell received her degree this year from the University of Vermont.

Elizabeth (Conner) Tucker has a little daughter, Sidney Elizabeth, born May 23.

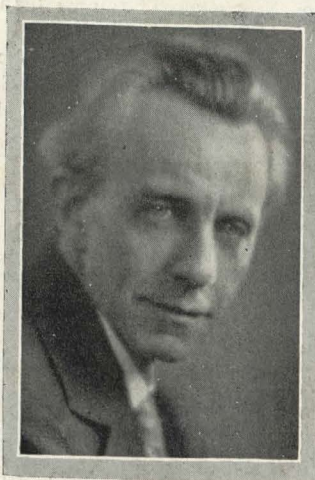
Roberta (Williamson) Parker's son was born May 28 and has been named Thomas Warren Parker.

1949

Jean (Evans) Weaver's baby son, born June 14, has been named William Jennings Weaver III. He is the first grandchild of Lydia (Tanner) Weaver, '22.

Elaine Klein is secretary to the National Field Director of the United World Federalists at 7 East 12th Street, New York, N. Y.

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